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FURIOUS GUN DUEL IN SHANGHAI

Pootung Artillery Answers Heavy Fire From Japan Warships

TORPEDO AIMED AT IDZUMO WAKES FIGHTING FORCES TO ACTION

Shanghai, Sept. 29.

War came with startling suddenness to Shanghai's doorstep at 4.50 a.m. this morning, when, before dawn, the stillness was shattered by a terrific explosion, believed to be from a torpedo intended to blow up the Japanese flagship Idzumo.

This was the signal for an intensive battle, lasting an hour, between Chinese artillery in Pootung and Japanese warships strung from the Japanese Consulate to Woosung.

The Japanese war craft pumped a continuous stream of shells into Pootung, the thunderous detonations waking the entire city.

The force of the explosions broke several window panes in the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank and other buildings on the Bund.

Shells from the Chinese guns passed over the Idzumo and, it is reported, landed on Jardine's Shanghai and Hongkew wharf.

Meanwhile, daring Chinese machine-gunners from Pootung and a point on the opposite side of the river from the Japanese Consulate, sprayed the Idzumo and nearby Japanese warships.

Japanese aeroplanes went into the air to try and spot the Chinese guns which, not wishing to disclose their positions, ceased firing.

The battle was the noisiest Shanghai has heard since the hostilities started, and it gave most of the city's inhabitants a bad fright. The people in Nantao, thinking themselves under bombardment, were especially nervous and many began a terrified exodus.—Reuter.

Japanese Bombard Paoshan Road

Shanghai, Sept. 29. The Japanese land, sea and air forces launched a joint attack on the Chinese positions along Paoshan Road in Chapel late yesterday afternoon but were unable to break the Chinese resistance.

A Japanese marine detachment moved cautiously from Jukong Road and Canton Road as warships in the Whangpoo opened a barrage to cover the advance. At the same time 10 planes circled overhead and rained their deadly missiles on the Chapel area.

The Chinese entrenched along the main road in Chapel held to their positions stubbornly and raked the Japanese marines with machine-guns as soon as the invaders appeared in the open. After a two-hour encounter the Japanese were driven back with 20 killed and scores injured.—Central News.

Japanese Plane Makes Forced Landing

Shanghai, Sept. 29. A heavy Japanese bomber made a forced landing yesterday afternoon at Haishishu near Kashung about 55 miles on the Shanghai-Hangchow-Ningpo Railway, according to military information received here.

Military investigators found the machine undamaged with two bombs still in the bomb-racks. The two machine-guns were also intact. It is believed that there were three Japanese fliers in the plane. They are still missing but troops have been sent out to search for them.—Central News.

Rushing Reinforcements To Lotterchen

Shanghai, Sept. 29. Feverish military preparations are being pushed by the Japanese, who are preparing a general

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£10,000 REWARD FOR SLAYERS OF BRITISHER

Jerusalem, Sept. 28.

The authorities have offered a reward of £10,000 for information leading to the arrest of the murderers of Mr. Lewis Andrews, British Commissioner for Nazareth, who was assassinated as he left church on Sunday last.

This is believed to be the largest individual reward ever offered in a criminal case.—Reuter.

CANTON ALARM

Canton, Sept. 29.
(9.15 a.m.)

After a tranquil night, Canton was again flung into suspense when the air raid alarm was sounded throughout the city at 8.55 this morning.—Reuter.

Alleged Spy Arrested

Canton, Sept. 29 (9.25 a.m.)

The city is still awaiting the arrival of Japanese planes. Meanwhile mild excitement has been caused outside the British bridge at Shamien when an alleged spy was arrested by Chinese police. He is believed to have indulged in signalling activities. An irate crowd followed, shouting abuse at the unfortunate prisoner.—Reuter.

STOP PRESS

DEADLOCK REACHED AT GENEVA

Non-Intervention
Formula Doesn't
Please Spain

Britain, France
Still United

Geneva, Sept. 28. A deadlock was reached today at the Sixth Committee's discussion on the Spanish war.

When the Drafting Committee met to consider the question of a resolution, Mr. Walter Elliot of Britain submitted a formula supported by M. Yvon Delbos, French Foreign Minister. It is understood the formula appealed to all governments scrupulously to refrain from interfering in the internal affairs of another State, and to make a fresh effort to ensure the speedy withdrawal of foreign volunteers from Spain.

The Norwegian representative, M. Kort, suggested his Government should hold a warning brief, and this Britain and France were prepared to accept.

Senor Delvayo of Spain said he could not accept the British draft as a basis for discussion on the Spanish Government insisted on a resolution embodying points such as the recognition of Italian aggression in Spain and the opening of the frontier to arms traffic for the Spanish Government.

After the President of the Committee had pointed out the complete conflict in the views of Spain and those of Britain and France, Senor Delvayo said he would consult his Government and submit a new resolution to-morrow, embodying the

RICE FOR CHINA'S HOMELESS



In many big cities and little, isolated villages to-day there are Chinese men, women and children left destitute by the war. Thousands are hungry. In Tientsin they have been fed by Japanese soldiers on occasions; in Nanking the Government has established food distribution centres; in Shanghai the International Settlement has its refugee camps. Above is a typical scene in a northern city where the hungry populace queues up for free rice.

Empire Unity Deterrent To Belligerents

AUSTRALIA REALISES STRATEGIC POSITION OF H.K., SINGAPORE

But Labour Wants Isolationism

Deloraine, Tasmania, Sept. 28.

Mr. J. A. Lyons, Prime Minister of Australia, in a speech here to-day, declared that adequate defence and the utmost development of Australian resources constituted the foundation of Australian policy for years ahead.

"Any isolationist policy which would leave us unguarded until an enemy is actually upon our shores must expose Australia to frightful danger," he observed.

"The Government's new programme provides for further important extensions in the defensive structure," he went on.

Australia stands for co-operation within the Empire, Mr. Lyons declared. The manifestation of Empire solidarity is itself a deterrent to aggression, he added.—Reuter.

BY AIR MAIL
From Our Own Correspondent

Australia's defence position vis-a-vis Hongkong and Singapore has become one of the chief political issues in the Federal election campaign, which is now in full swing. The Australian elections will be held on October 23.

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HULL APPARENTLY BACKING LEAGUE CONDEMNATION

U.S. Feeling Strong Against Bombings Of Chinese Towns

Washington, Sept. 28.

Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State, has in effect, though not directly, endorsed the League of Nations' committee's resolution condemning the Japanese bombing of Chinese cities, by drawing attention to the United States' similar protest delivered at the time of the attacks.

"The American Government, as has been set forth to the Japanese Government repeatedly, and especially in this Government's note of September 22, holds the view that any general bombing of an extensive area in which resides a large populace engaged in peaceful pursuits is unwarranted and contrary to the principles of law and humanity," Mr. Hull declared.

The Japanese Government had not replied to this note, Mr. Hull went on.

"HEIL! DUCE!"

Millions Cheer
Mussolini

Community With
Will Destroy
Opposition

Berlin, Sept. 28.

Welcoming Signor Benito Mussolini at a monster rally in the Olympic Stadium, Dr. Josef Goebbels announced that a million people were present in the Stadium and adjacent squares, and another two millions lined the road leading to the Stadium.

An immense roar of "Heil! Duce!" greeted the dictators. Herr Adolf Hitler, who spoke first, said:

"The deepest meaning of this demon-

stration is the sincere desire and

guarantee of our countries for that

pence which is not the reward of

cowardice, but the result of securing

with a sense of responsibility our

racial, spiritual, physical and cultural

substance and values to serve interests

which are reaching beyond our two

peoples, which should really be the

interests of the whole of Europe."

Describing the terrible trials

through which Germany had passed

before National-Socialism had

restored to the German people those

general rights of mankind which

they had been refused for a decade

and a half, Herr Hitler said: "During

that time of most bitter tests—I must

say this before the German people

and the entire world—Italy did not

take part in those humiliations."

He went on to say that the two

autocratic national regimes were

united at a time when the ideals of a

democratic Marxist International

could only show every demonstration

of hatred and dissension.

He concluded by saying that every

attempt for separating such a com-

munity of peoples by playing them

one against the other, by causing

suspicions, or by misconstruing aims,

"will fail at the wish of those who

form this demonstration of com-

munity, as well as at the will of the

two men who stand before you."

Reuter.

Nothing Concoted To Split Europe

Berlin, Sept. 28.

Signor Mussolini, speaking in Ger-

many, declared that nothing had been

concoted during his conversations

with Herr Hitler which would drive

the wedge still further into an al-

ready divided Europe.

"We desire peace," he said, "and

we will always be ready to work for

peace." In aims as in outlook, Ger-

many and Italy had pushed towards

Japan.

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BOYCOTT OF JAPAN IS URGED

Welsh Miners' Resolution

London, Sept. 28.

An International boycott of Japanese goods was urged in a resolution passed by the South Wales Miners' Federation at Cardiff to-day.

Representing the opinion of 120,000 members, the resolution expresses

horror at the massacre of Chinese,

and urges the General Council of the Trade Union Congress to make every

effort, through the International Federation of Trade Unions and other working-class organisations, to adopt

the policy of refusing to handle any

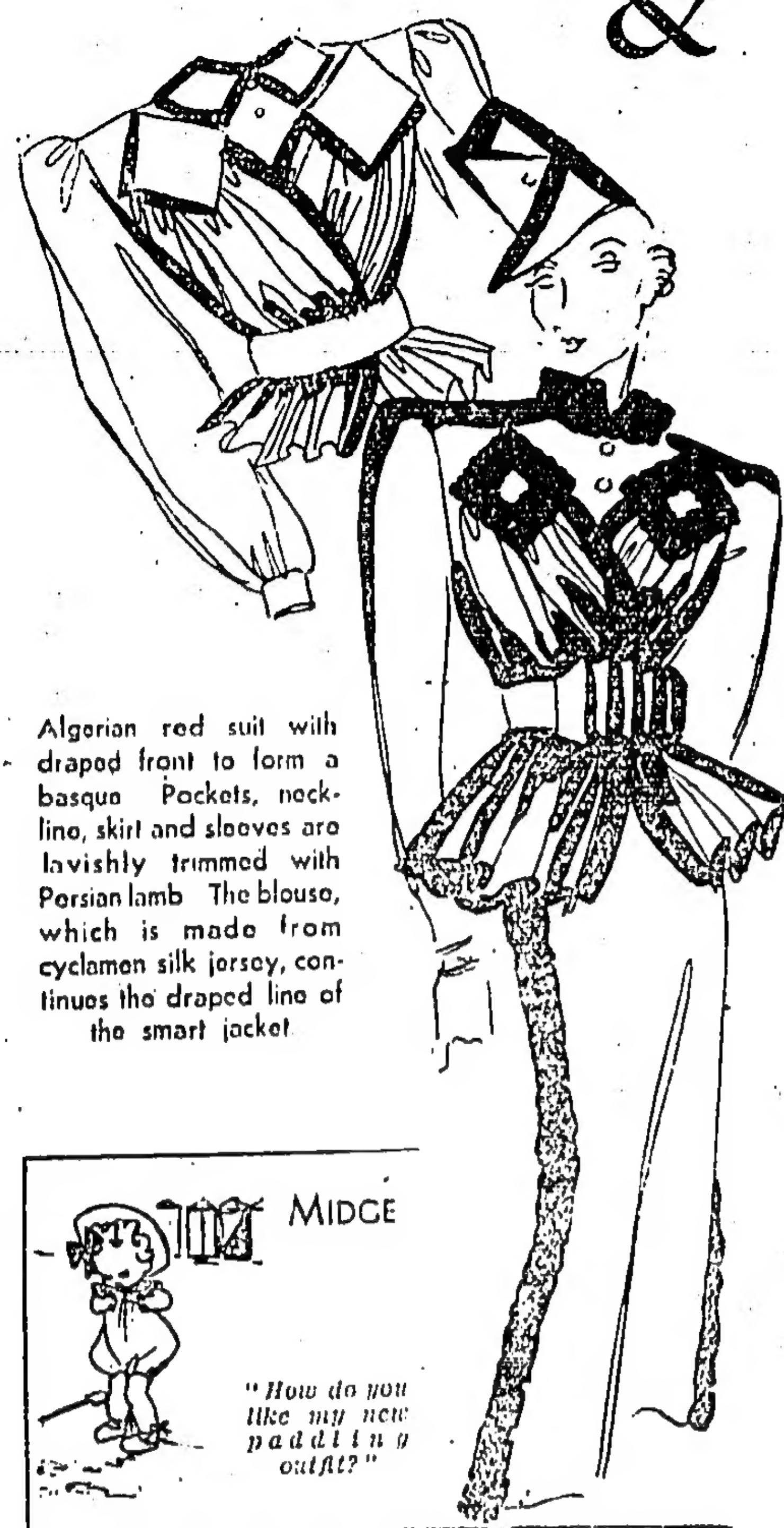
goods or material for export to, or

import from Japan, and to create a

world-wide movement to boycott Japanese goods until the Japanese have left China.

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Paris says— BOX JACKETS & BASQUES



Algerian red suit with draped front to form a basque. Pockets, neckline, skirt and sleeves are lavishly trimmed with Persian lamb. The blouse, which is made from cyclamen silk jersey, continues the draped line of the smart jacket.



Methodical Woman

ARE you a never-a-hunt-out-of-place woman, punctilious about your toilet, and very methodical in your home? Paying attention to details in dress and in housekeeping is a good thing, but like all good things, it can be overdone, and some women are apt to become slaves of routine, especially in household matters.

You have met the hostess who has a time-table arranged for her guests, and nothing will persuade her after the lunch or dinner hour occasionally to suit them. Day after day everything in her house runs on well-oiled wheels, and anything which interferes with the routine will make her frown. She rarely experiments with different styles of decoration, or introduces new items in her menus, and were it not for the fact that she feels rather proud of her methods, everyday life would be decidedly boring to her.

In the business world, however, the methodical woman is in her element. Amid ledgers, letters, and filing systems she has plenty of scope for arranging things to her liking, but anyone who suggests some alteration in her methods is likely to meet with a cold reception. She has even found out the most methodical way of coming to the office in the morning, and goes backwards and forwards day after day over the same ground, without pausing to think how refreshing another route would be for a change.

Through time the methodical woman loses the inclination to deviate from her rules and time-tables, and misses a great many of the unexpected pleasures which the more easy-going woman enjoys.

L. R. R.

Laying A Table

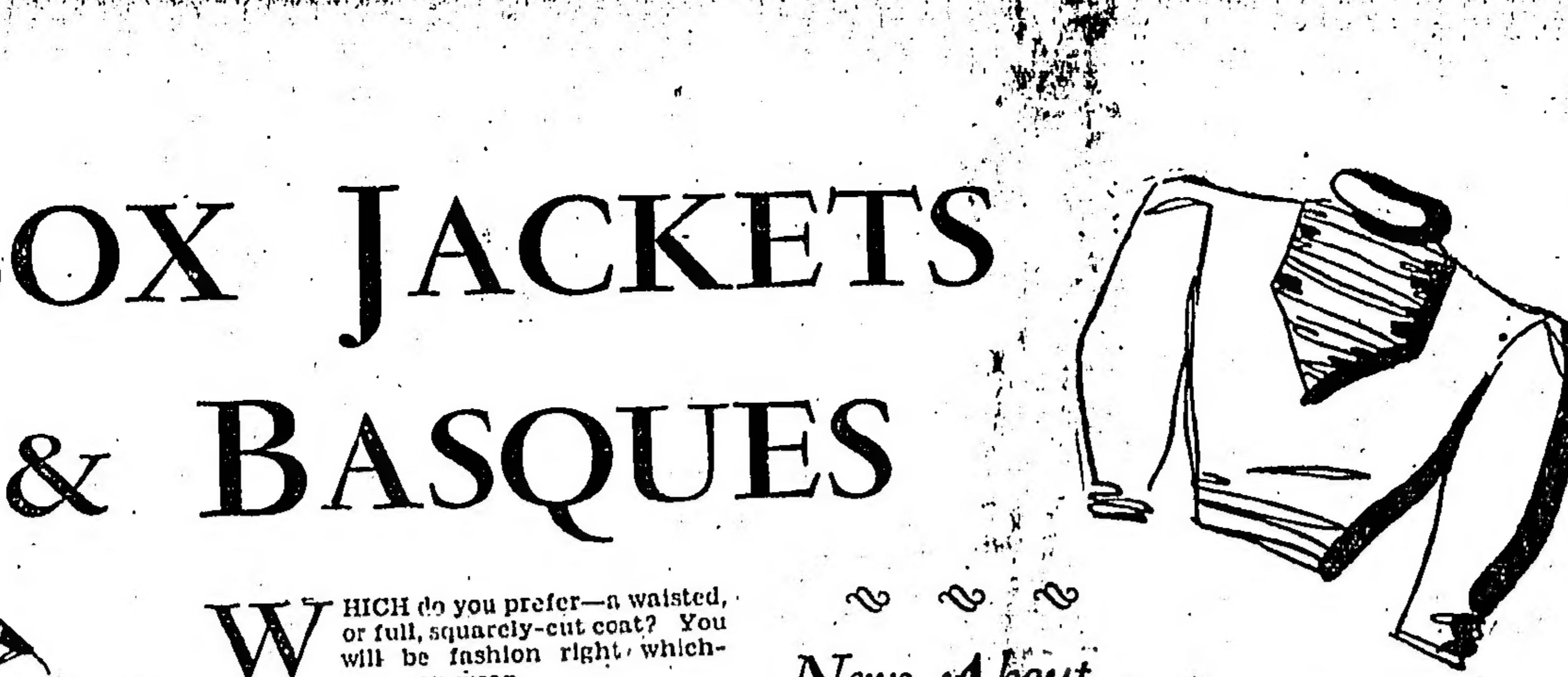
A centre-piece of flowers transforms a table into a thing of real beauty. Massed roses, in gorgeous shades from deepest red to palest gold, arranged in an exquisite filigree silver bowl, reveal the modern tendency for simplicity of line. An alternative to flowers is handpierced silver dishes showing up the richness of purple grapes and sun-kissed peaches, lying in a nest of green leaves.

Food looks more appetising when served in silver dishes and on silver platters. Streamlined entree dishes, with engraved handles, modern asparagus dishes, smooth silver sauce boats, modelled on Georgian lines, contribute greatly to the success of a party.

E. M.

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WHICH do you prefer—a waisted, or full, squarely-cut coat? You will be fashion right, whichever you wear.

Our Paris artist has sketched two examples of the autumn suit silhouette, with accompanying blouses. On the left a costume in Algerian red is trimmed with Persian lamb.

The coat has a new draped front which forms a basque effect. Notice how lavishly fur is used as a trimming on pockets, neckline, sleeves, and the sides of the skirt.

Fur and fabric divide the autumn honours. In many suit coats, two panels alternate with fabric. Sleeves, too, are half and half, while a sparsely-trimmed costume will have a fur waistcoat, and a fur turban-shaped hat.

Styles that are belted have a novelty fur attached just large enough to insert the hands.

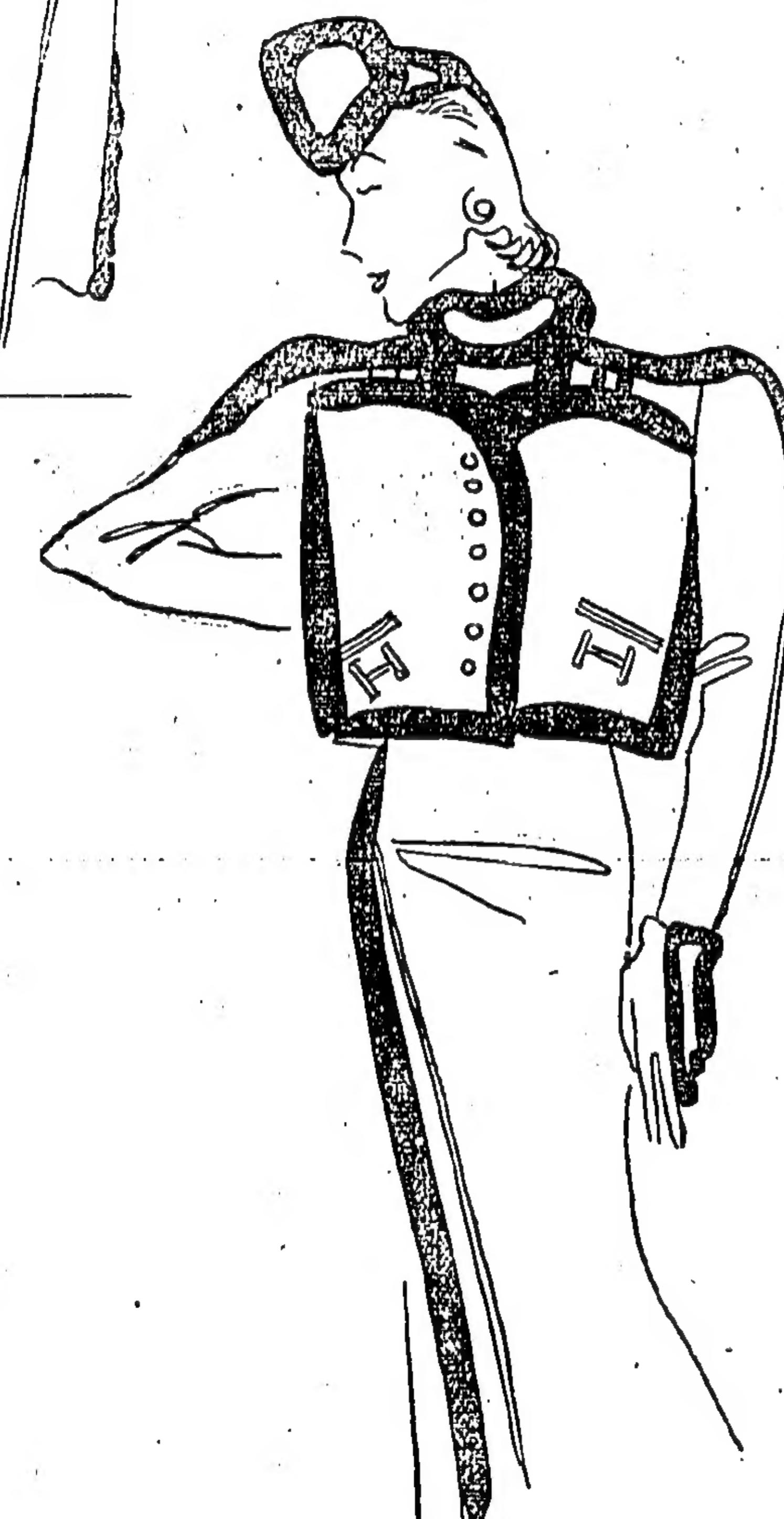
The cyclamen pink silk jersey blouse worn with the model also introduces the draped note.

Below is a tailored suit in raspberry pink tweed. This has contrasting insets of pastel blue below the neckline; the panels on the pockets are in the same blue. Both coat and skirt are trimmed with bands of dark brown nutria.

This loose-fitting design, with a back inclined to fullness, is an easy style. The box-like cut gives the effect of a Chinese corset jacket.

The hat, too, has its touch of nutria, and the gloves worn are half nutria, half tweed. In many cases, gloves match their costumes; er, in plain-coloured suit, accessories are in plain Scottish plaid—gloves, bag, scarf and hat.

Classically-cut coats and skirts are often in contrast effect—checkered, plain and herringbone coats with plain skirts, or jackets are plain with revers, pockets and cuffs of the patterned fabric used in the skirt.—MARY GRACE.



News About AUTUMN SUITS

FIRST AID FROM THE KITCHEN

MINOR casualties of some sort are bound to occur from time to time in every household, and a little store of first-aid requisites should always be kept safe at hand. It does happen sometimes, however, that accidents take place away from home, when the family medicine chest is not available. In this case it is useful to know that many very excellent remedies can be found among the ordinary household stores.

Most people know the efficacy of the blue bag as a remedy for wasp and bee stings, but it is so generally realised that a raw sliced onion is equally good, or even a little damp salt. The place should first be examined to see if the sting is still left in, and if so it should be squeezed out at once. If here is much swelling and irritation, a compress of a folded handkerchief wrung out in hot water will relieve the pain.

In the case of a great bite, a drop of pure ammonia will ease the pain, if dabbed on at once, and when going on a picnic it is a good idea to carry a small flat bottle of ammonia in the handbag or pocket.

Vinegar is invaluable in many ways. A mixture of vinegar and honey, taken in sips, or used with water as a gargle, is splendid for warding off incipient sore throats. In the event of a bad attack of hiccoughs, take half a teaspoonful of vinegar very slowly, then hold the breath as long as possible.

Bruises and Burns

For a bruised knee or elbow, the result of a knock, make a paste of fine oatmeal and vinegar, and spread it thickly over the bruise, then bandage firmly, and keep on for an hour or two or overnight. The pain and discolouration will have almost disappeared by the morning.

The pain of any bruise will be considerably relieved if a little dry starch or arrowroot, just moistened with cold water, is applied at once.

Butter or olive oil, rubbed lightly over the place, are two other good kitchen remedies for a bruise.

A smear of butter over slight burns and scalds will often prevent blistering.

Ordinary kitchen salt has many uses. It is an excellent natural stimulant, and if you are feeling tired and exhausted, put a teaspoonful of salt in a tumbler of hot water, and sip it slowly. It will refresh and invigorate you in a wonderful way.

A sore throat can often be relieved by a gargle of hot water to which a teaspoonful of salt has been added.

A Substitute for a Hotwater Bottle

In cases of sudden illness, an extra hot water bottle is often wanted. As a substitute for this, fill a flannel bag with salt, place in a hot oven for an hour or two, and put in the bed. This bag will retain its heat for as long as a hot water bottle.

An old-fashioned but most efficacious cure for a sore throat is made by spreading salt, heated in the oven, on a flannel or in a woollen stocking, tying the ends, and wrapping it round the throat.

In the case of a cut or wound, when there is no iodine at hand, use a weak solution of salt and water for bathing it. This both heals and cleanses it, warding off any danger of blood-poisoning.

Onions have their uses too.

Earache is soon relieved if an onion is sliced, wrapped in a clean handkerchief, and bound over the ear.

An excellent cure for a severe cough is a raw onion, chopped up finely and covered with brown sugar. The fumes help the breathing, and the juice cures the cough.

If a cold is starting and the patient feels "chesty," rub a camphor ball well in a nugget of lard, and massage the chest with this until it glows.

To complete the cure give a glass of hot milk in which a spoonful of powdered cinnamon has been stirred. The patient will be well by morning.

Most of us know the discomfort which can be caused by a tiny fishbone which has lodged in the mouth or throat, and refuses to be dislodged. The best remedy is to eat a lemon, and the bone will mysteriously vanish.

M. L. Stollard

A FEW USEFUL TIPS ABOUT MEAT PIES

"PERFECT," declares the culinary critic who has partaken of a really good home-made pie, and the housewife whose achievement merits this high praise may well feel pleased, for, to be able to make excellent meat-pies is an extremely use accomplishment.

In the first place, a meat pie can be put on the table either hot or cold, and it can be made the day before, or a couple of hours before a meal is due. Secondly, baked in a pie, a little meat, fish, or poultry goes quite a long way, and if that small quantity is eked out with a bit of egg, macaroni, or vegetable, is quite possible for the pie to be all the better for this convenient economy.

Pie-Crusts to Eat Cold

Hot pies are truly when made with almost any kind of good crust.

If the filling is of chicken, rabbit, pigeon, or fish, the crust can be rather a rich one, such as puff, or flaky pastry, made with four ounces of butter or margarine to six ounces of flour.

A beef-steak pie is better with a short crust, and a rather thicker and plainer one can be used if preferred.

A plain crust, tasting rather like bread, is often liked in loaf pies that are eaten cold and cut in solid slices, and, to get this, beef dripping should be used instead of butter, or the pastry will be brittle.

Melt the dripping and add it to the flour with enough milk or water to make a thick paste. If the cold pie has only a top covering, this crust is best made short, with lard, butter, or dripping. Remember to put a good pinch of salt in all pastry made for savouries.

Four Tasty Varieties

Roman pie can be eaten either hot or cold. For this you will want a good short crust, equal quantities of cold cooked chicken and boiled macaroni, a little minced onion and chopped parsley, two ounces of grated cheese, and some thick white

sauce. Cut the chicken and macaroni small, and mix with the other ingredients. Butter a round cake-tin, sprinkle with fine crumbs, line it with the pastry, and bake about an hour. Turn out, and, if eaten hot, serve with good gravy.

For chicken pie, you need a chicken, a few slices of ham, three hard-boiled eggs, a few forcemeat balls,

half a teaspoonful of ground mace, salt, pepper, pastry. Skin and cut up the chicken, slice the eggs, and serve the carcass for gravy. Put the chicken and other ingredients of the filling in layers in a pie-dish, and add half a pint of cold water. Border and cover with pastry, decorate and brush with egg-yolk or milk. Bake about one and a half hours, and, when done, pour in the gravy at the top. The pie should be covered with paper when half-done to make it golden brown and not scorched.

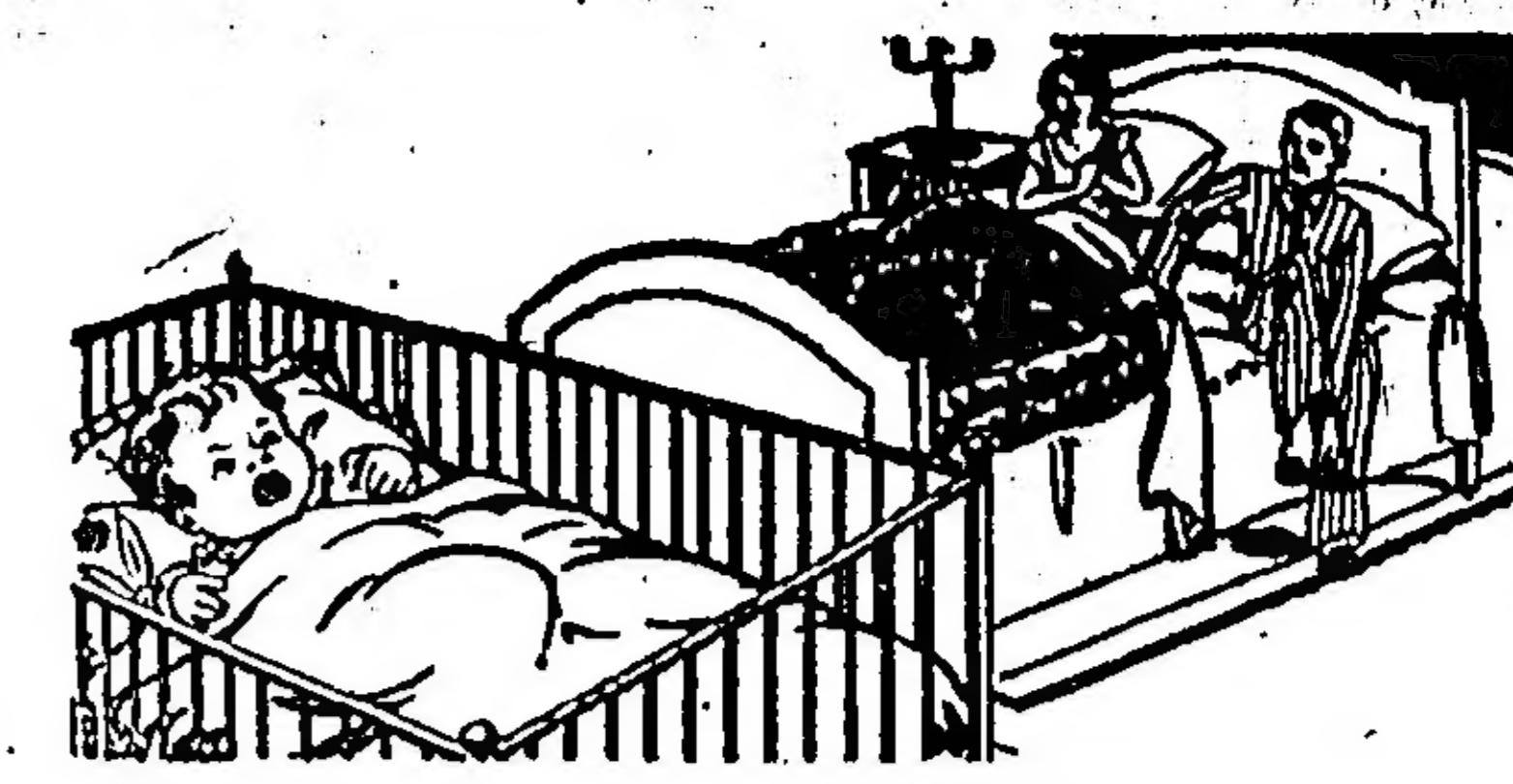
For the filling of a rabbit pie you want a young rabbit, a few slices of fat bacon, half a pint of stock and seasoning. Cut the rabbit into about ten pieces, wash well in salted water, and dry. Make stock by simmering the head, liver, and kidneys for one hour. Lay the pieces of rabbit and bacon in a pie-dish, and season and stock. Cover with paste, and bake in a hot oven for about an hour.

Cool, and then cover with a crust, which will need a further half-hour's baking.

Yorkshire Loaf Pie should be eaten cold. Skin of beef, cut into small pieces, seasoned liberally, and stewed for five hours, makes the best, and an extremely economical, filling for this pie. The crust is bread-like, made with six ounces of melted dripping, one pound of flour, a teaspoonful of baking powder, a pinch of salt, and enough water to make a thick paste. Grease a square cake-tin, line it thickly with the pastry, and put in the meat when quite cold.

Fold over the pastry except just in the middle, and bake for nearly an hour.

H. W. B.



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EMPIRE UNITY
DETERRENT TO
BELLIGERENTS

(Continued from Page 1)

The present Administration, headed by Mr. J. A. Lyons, will, if returned to power, pursue a policy of co-operation with the Imperial Government in the defence of Pacific interests.

The Government's policy envisages:

(a) Co-operation of the Royal Australian Air Force with the British Navy and R.A.F. in Hongkong and Singapore. The Australian Air Force will be trebled within two years, the additional strength being based at Port Darwin, within two and three days flight of Singapore and Hongkong.

(b) Utilisation of Port Darwin as a base for British warships and the Royal Air Force.

(c) Conscription, or compulsory training, of all Australians between the ages of 15 and 29.

(d) Expenditure of £1,000,000 on modernisation of Australian Navy.

LABOUR WANTS ISOLATION

The Australian Labour Party, on the other hand, will inaugurate a policy of strict isolation and will refuse to become involved in any conflict outside Australian territory.

The policy, as propounded by the Labour leader, Mr. J. Curtin, will keep Australia aloof from any commitments that would involve the nation in a defence of imperial interests in the Far East. The Labour Party, if returned to power, will concentrate all defence expenditure on the construction of a fortification against any potential invader from Australia's shores.

A definite outcome of the elections, if the Labour Party is returned to power, will be a cancellation of the arrangement made by Mr. J. A. Lyons at the Imperial Conference, whereby Australia will erect and maintain armaments factories for the purposes of supplying all the defence requirements of Singapore and Hongkong. Under this agreement, Australian factories would supply Hongkong and Singapore with all their naval and military requirements.

Explaining the Labour Party viewpoint, Mr. J. Holloway, Labour Member of Parliament for Victoria said the policy of manufacturing munitions for distribution in Hongkong and Singapore would focus the attention of hostile powers on the country.

Predicting the day when the Pacific would be the cockpit of future world wars and Australia the "main ammunition dump" of the Pacific, Mr. Holloway bitterly assailed the Government's plans to expand munitions manufacture in Australia.

HOT PROTEST

"I protest against this outside-Australia influence which has made

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MESSAGERIES MARITIMES
SPECIAL NOTICES/S "ANDRE LEBON"
October 3rd, 1937.

Owing to the large number of passengers per a/s "Andre Lebon" the Compagnie des Messageries Maritimes regrets to inform the public that there will be only a very limited number of berths available from Hong Kong to Shanghai and that contrary to information which has been verbally given to intending passengers no bookings can be effected on Thursday, the 30th instant and following days.

THE HONG KONG SOCIETY
FOR THE PROTECTION OF
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—Reuter.

The Government accept the responsibility for the manufacture and sale of arms and munitions for use outside Australia, to allow private enterprise to enter the business and to transplant to Australia the evils of the old world," Mr. Holloway declared.

"The moment the world knows Australia is a depot from which arms and munitions will be distributed, the attention of hostile powers likely to raid Australia will be focussed on us. This country will be patrolled by potential enemies who will be waiting to cut off our supplies.

Mr. Holloway said he felt sure he was speaking for the whole of the Commonwealth. "The private enterprise in Australia, he added, had been surveyed by defence experts, and plans and blue prints were already in wide circulation in the Commonwealth. "It is obviously the policy of the Lyons Government to co-operate with Britain and other parts of the Empire to make Australia for the first time in its history a depot for the manufacture and distribution of arms and munitions," he declared.

Australia, because of its raw materials, vast area and geographical position, had been selected as the British zone for munitions and arms for its Pacific possessions.

If Labour is returned to power, it will pursue a policy of strict isolation. Money ear-marked by the present Government for expenditure on naval and military works would be utilised to build up an Australian air force that would render the country extremely dangerous to any power seeking to attack it.

£1,000,000 ARSENAL
FOR ENGLAND

London, Sept. 28. The construction has begun on an arsenal at Bridgeton, Glamorgan, costing £1,000,000.—Reuter.

TYphoon PHOTOGRAPHS

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"HEIL! DUCE!"

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the same goal in the sphere of economic autocracy. Without economic independence, political independence was doubtful.

Referring to the "criminal sanctions against Italy," Mussolini said that was a point where for the first time the existence of necessary co-operation between Germany and Italy became clearly apparent. There were, he said, no dictatorships in either Germany or Italy, but forces and organisations existed in those countries which served the people.

This community of ideas in Germany and Italy was to be found at present in their fight against Bolshevism. Fascism fought Bolshevism with words, and when words were ineffective, with arms. "This is what we have done in Spain where thousands of Italian volunteers have fallen for the salvation of European civilization," he admitted.

Il Duce concluded by observing: "Our two great peoples, constituting a mass of 115,000,000 human beings, stand side by side in one unshakable determination."—Reuter.

Allegedly Seeking

Mussolini's Life

Berlin, Sept. 28.

It is alleged in certain quarters at Innsbruck that two passengers on the Paris-Buchsens express have been arrested on a charge of intending to prepare a plot against Signor Mussolini when he returns to Rome from his visit to Germany.

The men, believed to be French, are at present being kept in custody.

—Reuter.

HULL VIRTUALLY
BACKING LEAGUE
CONDEMNATION

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reports that few prisoners are taken by either side conclude each combatant is determined neither to ask nor give quarter. The New York Times cites as a possible explanation of the brutality of the Sino-Japanese struggle the article of Mrs. Pearl Buck in October's Asia, "Western Weapons in the Hands of the Reckless East." In this she states: "Individual life is worthless... It is a curious fact that Orientals tend to detach the person from life, so that where the highest development in art and philosophy is found there is also the greatest callousness toward humans." Mrs. Buck offers this viewpoint in explanation of Japan's reaction to Western indignation over the bombing of Chinese cities. Japan is unable, she says, to understand how any nation can be expected to react to such heinous acts of violence.

The Sunday Herald-Tribune, New York, blames other signatories of the Nine-Power Pact for not supporting the United States in the crisis of September, 1931, for the whole of the subsequent trouble. "It refers to other nations which 'piously washed their hands of the whole business and allowed Mr. Stimson (then Secretary of State) unassisted to appeal to the better nature of the Japanese.' At the moment, however, invocation of the Nine-Power Pact would be like calling the fire department after a house has burned, this paper believes.—United Press.

Non-Committal

Washington, Sept. 28.

Asked to comment on the League Assembly's condemnation of Japanese bombing, Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, said the United States Government, as had been repeatedly pointed out to Japan, was of the opinion that any general bombing of an extensive area in which resides a large populace engaged in peaceful pursuits, is unwarranted and contrary to the principles of law and humanity.

No reply to the United States Note had been received from Tokyo, and Mr. Hull denied the U.S. press reports that Japan had assured the United States that she had no territorial ambitions in China.

Mr. Cordell Hull added that if, and when, concrete proposals are made by the League, the State Department will give them careful consideration.

Commenting on this statement the Washington Post states: "Apparently Mr. Cordell Hull stands ready to join in economic sanctions against Japan if the League Powers undertake to impose them. The State Department has gone the full way in expressing

sympathy for the Chinese. Officials of the Department make no secret of the fact that they want to impede Japanese invasion a more effective way, and they are convinced that public opinion in the United States will now support the course despite the demands of Peking societies for strict neutrality."—Reuter.

The newspaper—dated May, 1934—was allegedly used by a Chinese resident of Melbourne to wrap around several opium lamp glasses. The parcel was seized by Customs officials and was one of several exhibited at the Inquiry.

Alleged to have been in possession of imports prohibited under the Australian Customs Act—30 opium lamp glasses, 10 opium lamp bowls and four metal bases for opium lamps Louey Way-sing, aged 82, of Little Bourke Street, Melbourne, was in attendance at the Inquiry.

A Customs officer in evidence said that he found the apparatus on a shelf in a shop owned by Louey. The latter explained, through an interpreter, that he had only recently returned from a trip to Hongkong. He had never instructed his manager to import the goods.

The Inquiry was adjourned.

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DEADLOCK REACHED
AT GENEVA

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substance of the points mentioned.

The meeting then adjourned.

BRIGHTER FUTURE

It may be we are entering a better phase of international affairs—a phase which must have its reflection in the sphere of non-intervention," said Mr. Walter Elliot of Britain, speaking on the Spanish question before the Sixth Committee of the League of Nations, to-day.

He added: "We believe that at the present moment the Mediterranean situation is easier than it has been for some time past."

The British and French governments were using their best endeavours, with Rome, to ensure that the present improvement is consolidated and used in a basis for further progress, he stated.

STILL UNITED

The fact that the British and French Governments still favour a policy of non-intervention was indicated by speeches delivered to-day.

M. Delbos of France declared that the present situation must not be allowed to continue.

Declarations must be followed by effective action, guarantees, and supervision.

The withdrawal of foreigners serving in Spain was absolutely essential, and in this connection the French Government would count on the unanimous support of the countries represented.—Reuter.

GREEN LIGHT

(Orlandi Theatre, to-day).—Errol Flynn and Anita Louise in a romantic story.

"Strike Me Pink" (Star Theatre, to-day).—One of Eddie Cantor's early pictures returns for one day. It is on the usual extravagant Cantor lines, with plenty of singing and dancing.

"Are We Civilised?" (Majestic Theatre, to-day).—An unusual picture, showing man's early ruthless struggle for existence.

—Reuter.

"Wings Over Honolulu" (Alhambra Theatre, to-day).—Not a first-run picture, but one worth seeing as it has Wendy Barrie, the actress from Hongkong, in one of the leading roles.

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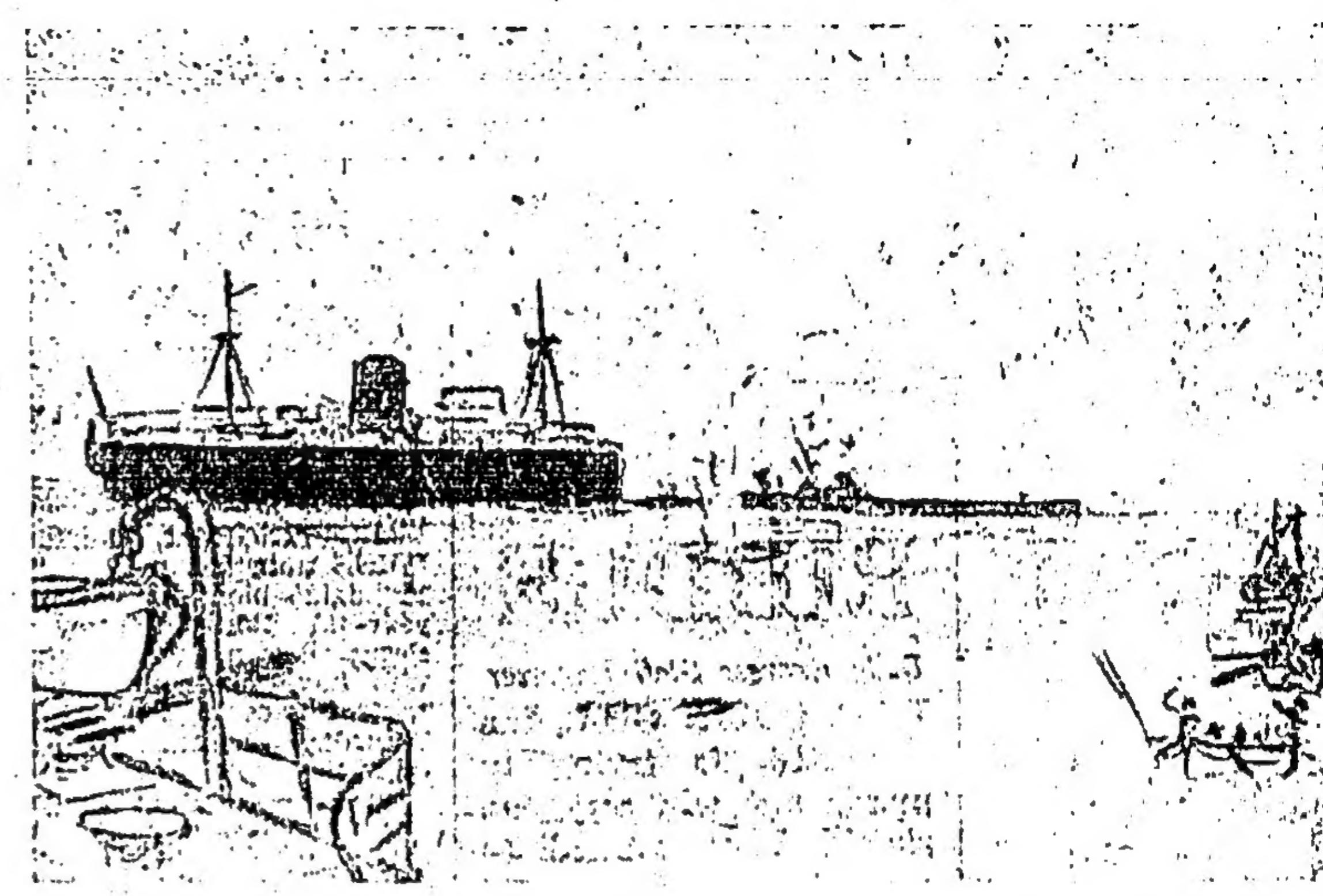
The Twenty-three Powers which comprise the League of Nations' special committee to deal with the Sino-Japanese dispute have met and passed a resolution condemning the Japanese bombing of Chinese towns, following the appeal of Dr. Wellington Koo, China's representative, for reinforcement of the universal demand of the civilised world for the abandonment of such practices. Dr. Koo really asked very little of the committee. The whole tone of his address was significant, indicating a shaken faith in the effectiveness of the League in matters of this nature.

If the League cannot defend the right, it can at least indicate the wrong-doer; if the League cannot prevent the slaughter of innocent people, it can at least condemn the responsible party, he said, in effect. It seems he expected very little. And who can blame China for a lack of optimism when seeking help from a body whose record in the great crises of the past has been so shoddy? Recognising that the meeting at Geneva is more or less academic, and that, in any event, it can do nothing more than pass resolutions and make recommendations to the League Assembly and Council, Dr. Koo refrained from making specific demands. His appeal was broad, and its strength lies in its foundation: the repeated bombing of civilian populations. In that was the touch of the diplomat. He did not plead on political grounds, but on a far more appealing basis—in the name of humanity. So far, he has got more or less what he asked for. As far as the Committee is concerned, he has won the representatives to China's side, for he has gained from them unanimous condemnation of the Japanese mode of warfare. That is something.

"We particularly ask that within the limit of feasibility the utmost measures for encouragement and assistance be extended to China. In the name of humanity, as well as in the interests of justice to my country and the peace of the world, I earnestly hope that this committee will not let the main issues be lost in a labyrinth of confusion, but will act speedily as well as effectively," he said. Dr. Koo appreciates that the moral effect of a League finding against Japan, whether or not the Japanese are given the tag of aggressors, will help China's cause considerably. Dr. Koo is losing no opportunities.

There are two avenues by which nations sympathetic to China and opposed to Japan's aims and methods may approach the Far East problem with any hope of arriving at a satisfactory destination. It appears. The first is by way of the Nine-Power Pact. But since the United

This is how we used to deal with pirate submarines



The man who sank the U27 drew this picture of the action himself. He was the gunnery officer of the Q-boat Baralong, now Commander G. C. Steele, V.C.

GERMANY'S allegations were given columns of space in the American and other neutral Presses, columns more in her own newspapers as propaganda. Here in Britain the watertight censorship limited discussion.

Sir Edward Grey's reply on December 14, 1915, said curtly that Britain did not accept the allegations.

He added sardonically that Britain noted "with satisfaction and surprise Germany's anxiety over the principles of civilised warfare, and was glad that they wanted punishment meted out to those who disregarded them."

He pointed out that the same U27, on the same day that she went herself to the bottom of the sea, had sunk the White Star liner Arabic and sent "forty-seven non-combatants ruthlessly to their death."

Three months before another U-boat had destroyed the Lusitania. Just previously this U-boat commander had sunk the British E3 and left the survivors to drown.

Reprisals were threatened unless "the murderers" were punished for "this cowardly deed."

Later Germany said the Zeppelin raids on England were these reprisals.

George's Answers

1. George is right: Bill had drunk 2 and 2-3rd of the three bottles he'd paid for.

2. The messenger walked less than three miles, since for part of the time the rear of the column was marching towards him. Worked out, the answer comes to 2.414 miles.

3. The shopkeeper was the seaman's sister. Sorry.

States fights shy of commitments which might conceivably lead to collective, disciplinary action, and seems to prefer to guard her own neutrality above all else, there is little likelihood of the signatories taking action. The remaining remedy, as we have suggested on another occasion, is a system of sanctions outside the League, a boycott, a strangling of Japanese overseas commerce through which she derives the strength to fight a war of conquest. The danger of such a move is recognised, and it is bound to prove an unpalatable remedy at best. But nasty ailments sometimes require nasty medicines. This movement steadily gains impetus, particularly in Britain, where a powerful section of the press is advocating such measures.

There the correspondence, even through the channels of the United States, ceased.

BUT there was an answer.

Before a tribunal this would have been the evidence.

A Norwegian journalist, making an independent investigation, wrote that the muleteers saw a party of Germans set off in a boat from the submarine with bombs in their possession. This was before the approach of the Baralong.

Their intention, obviously, was to blow up the Nicosian, and thus save torpedoes.

The muleteers—"as ugly a crew as ever awaited a boat's approach"—armed themselves with furnace bars and pieces of steel. They set on the Germans.

George was puzzled . . .

George is still telling his friends of the holiday he spent abroad. One day he and his friend Bill sat down at a table with a Frenchman, and, after lunch, they started drinking beer. They drank eight bottles, and they all drank the same amount. George paid for five bottles and Bill paid for three. When the Frenchman went he put eight francs on the table, which was his share. When George and Bill came to divide this out Bill thought he was entitled to three of the eight francs for the three bottles of beer he'd brought. But George said that his own share should be seven francs, not five. Who was right?

Later in the afternoon George and Bill met a column of soldiers out on manoeuvres. The column was just a mile long, somebody said. While they were watching, a messenger was sent from the head of the column to the rear. He gave the message and returned to the column. The messenger ran there and back at the same speed, and all the time the column was marching at the same pace. By the time the messenger got back the column had just travelled its own length. Bill said the messenger must have run three miles. But George said the distance wasn't three miles. Who was right?

So Bill, to get his own back, gave George this problem. He said he knew a shopkeeper in London who had a brother who went to sea, but the man who went to sea had no brother, so what relation was the shopkeeper to him?

Solutions at foot of Column four.

"Man In Iron Lung" Has Secret System For Horse Racing

STILL FINDS FUN IN LIFE

By A Special Correspondent

Chicago, Sept. 1.

ALTHOUGH condemned to live for seven years more in the "iron lung" in which he is locked, Frederick B. Snite, jun., twenty-six-year-old son of a Chicago millionaire, still smiles, plays games—and amazes his doctors and nurses.

Snite, stricken with infantile paralysis in Peiping, lived fourteen months in the "iron lung," travelled 10,000 miles from China to Chicago in June—still in the lung—and is now in hospital here.

The "lung," cylindrical artificial respirator, weighs 600 lbs. Without it he could not live for five minutes.

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His father has spent more than £50,000 trying to save his son's life.

Doctors, doubtful, shake their heads. But Snite greeted me to-day with a cheery "Ding how," Chinese expression for "Clear sailing," taught him by his Chinese nurses.

He plays chess and reads newspapers with the aid of a mirror he holds with only his head protruding from the "iron lung."

Dance music and baseball commentaries by radio fascinate him. He bets on horse races—claims he has a secret system of picking winners.

Dr. Claude Forkner, who attended him in China, told me: "His appetite is amazing."

"CRAZY" THEY SAID

"Daily he has orange juice, poached eggs, toast; soup, chicken, vegetables, milk—and as much ice cream and cake as he can persuade his nurses to give him."

Snite recalled his 10,000-mile journey with a smile.

"Chinese nurses called me 'crazy foreign devil,'" he said.

"I am happy here—but oft when I can dance, swim, and play golf again."

"Then it really will be 'Ding how.'"

Soviet's Vast War Material For Spain

Salamanca, Soviet Russia has sold at least £219,000,000 pesetas (roughly £14,600,000) worth of war material to the Valencia Government, as far as the Nationalists can check.

The amount may be far larger, but at any rate figures available show that the original contract for 500 million in gold pesetas, concluded between Senor Largo Caballero and M. Marcel Rozenberg, the former Soviet Ambassador, has been covered in considerable excess.

Largest single item of shipments, which the Nationalists say are directed through Marseilles to Valencia, has been aeroplanes. The Valencia authorities paid 300,000,000 pesetas (£3,600,000) for fighting and bombing craft. Gasoline figures second at 225,000,000 pesetas (£2,700,000) and wheat and trucks figure for 100,000,000 pesetas (about £1,200,000).

The famous Russian tanks cost Valencia 50,000,000 pesetas (about £600,000), according to the Nationalists, while machine-guns cost 10,000,000 pesetas, rifles 20,000,000 pesetas, guns 4,000,000, while ammunition and miscellaneous material filled the bill by another 400,000,000 pesetas (£4,800,000).

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The best of the Russian material, it is stated here, are the tanks and machine-guns, but the tanks are manufactured under British patent.

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The Nationalists say much material from the Soviets is obsolete, and they insist the shipment of a considerable number of rifles which were completely out of date. They were served out to police and Republican national guards in the recent battles.

In the opinion of the Nationalists, the experiences of the Spanish war have shown that Russia, after twenty years spent in building up the powerful and much-vaunted Red army, has failed to produce any war weapon of genuine Soviet origin which could be described as extraordinary or sensational.

SELASSIE REJECTS THRONE OFFER

Haile Selassie, ex-Emperor of Ethiopia, now living in exile at Bath, has rejected an offer from Mussolini to return to his throne—but still has hopes that he may return through the agency of the League of Nations.

He admitted as much in a statement issued through the Ethiopian Legation, when I brought to the notice of his secretary at Bath the stories of Mussolini's bid that have been cabled round the world.

American newspapers allege that, after turning Mussolini down twice—once during the war when he thought he would win, and later because he thought Britain and the League of Nations would prevent the conquest of his country—Haile Selassie is now considering a third offer.

He is said to have replied that he would consider the proposal if the League of Nations declared Ethiopia an Italian mandate.

EMPEROR SILENT

It was informed that the Emperor himself would not talk of the matter. "The Legation has information from him," said the secretary.

"Can you give a definite 'Yes' or 'No' answer to the questions: 'Has Mussolini invited the Emperor to return? Has the Emperor finally refused to return?'" I asked the Legation officers.

This was the reply:

"It is quite true that his Majesty the Emperor has declined an invitation of the Italian Government to conclude an arrangement which means nothing less than a complete renunciation of the legitimate rights of the Ethiopian people."

"His Majesty the Emperor considers, as always, that a real and fair agreement cannot be concluded except by the authority of the League of Nations."

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SENT YOUNGER BOY BACK



Seventeen-day-old Jacqueline Clement, New Orleans "eye-dropper" baby, was born at 4½ months weighing a scant two pounds. She is held by Dr. Roger Knapp, Baptist Hospital Interne, for her first view of the cameraman.

RICH AND POOR IN RED RUSSIA

Helsingfors. In an interview accorded to the Russian emigrant newspaper *Segnada Niculai Bassachess*, an Austrian journalist of international repute, who was recently expelled from the Soviet Union after fifteen years' residence in that country, reveals some interesting facts concerning living conditions in present-day Russia.

The shades of class distinction which, according to the teachings of Karl Marx, should have been shed following the October revolution, are actually heavier to-day than ever. The equality, fraternity, and freedom promised to the people by the Bolshevik leaders has proved to be nothing but a chimera and sham.

The proportion of those who receive certain privileges in the form of luxurious apartments, cars, extra rations, and a liberal supply of money, which the Bolsheviks profess to despise, is naturally small, but, actually, love of money is strongly displayed by the Bolshevik leaders. The actual ruler of "The First Socialist Republic"—states Bassachess—is undoubtedly his Imperial Highness "The Trouble."

TEN POSTS AT A TIME

An ordinary worker receives on an average about 150 roubles per month, seldom 200, while a specialist may earn from 300 to 350 roubles, and the much-bloated "Stalinovitch" labourer may receive up to 600 roubles as a reward for having accomplished a "programme."

Only a negligible proportion of such sums finds its way into the pockets of the workers, the lion's share falling to the directors.

ENORMOUS INCOMES

While it is difficult to establish with certainty the earnings of writers and composers, there is no doubt that some of them, judged by Soviet currency, are making enormous incomes. By law, recognised writers are only permitted to occupy two rooms. A well-known poet is allowed to occupy eleven rooms furnished with priceless paintings, antique furniture, and a magnificent library.

The superfluous money of these Bolshevik plutocrats is invariably invested in the countless Government loans and also in savings banks, all of which, Bassachess asserts, shows that the Soviet system actually differs very little from that in capitalist countries.

Actually, only a few are living in even possible circumstances. The difficulties encountered by the remainder may be judged from the high cost of meat, butter, rye and white bread. In addition to food there are rent, clothes, and foot-wear, the last two articles costing three times as much as in other countries. Add to this the compulsory deduction from wages towards contributions to Government loans and various hare-brained schemes, and the lot of the Russian worker can hardly be considered enviable.

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NORMAN LEE WINS 100 YARDS FREE STYLE RACE

L. Oliveira *Nearly Causes A Sensational Upset*

Tennis Or A Career

HARE TO PLAY ONE MORE YEAR

It is announced in a *Reuter* message from America that C. E. Hare's intention is to play only one more year in international lawn tennis. This presumably means that Davis Cup matches and foreign championships will be excluded from his programme, though it is to be hoped that the Wimbledon championships, the most truly international of all lawn tennis events, will remain within it.

Hare's reported reason for this decision is the same and laudable one that he must consider his future. He follows in the steps of H. G. N. Lee, who might easily have been called on for more Davis Cup service had he not adhered to his intention to make his profession the governing factor of his life, says a *London Morning Post* correspondent.

The question of the huge inroads made on the time of a player in the highest ranks of lawn tennis is seldom in abeyance and with the possible loss of Hare from Davis Cup possibilities it springs to immediate urgency. Hare has been regarded as the most promising Davis Cup find of recent years, and it was thought that with two or three seasons of experience he might have reached very great heights.

AUSTIN, TOO, DOUBTFUL

Whence, then, are to come our hopes for the Davis Cup? A statement attributed to Hare that H. W. Austin would not travel for the Davis Cup matches next year must be treated as a matter of opinion, though it is known that Austin dislikes travelling. In any case, we cannot count on Austin for more than two or three seasons.

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The inextricably involved obligations to each other of various national governing bodies of the game have made the welfare of the individual player a minor consideration. It is time, surely, that either



Though he won the 100 yards free style swimming championship of the Colony at the V.R.C. yesterday, Norman Lee was nowhere near the record.

U.S.R.C. Beaten By Recreio Team

The Club de Recreio won their match against the United Services R.C. in the "A" Division of the Tennis League with surprising ease yesterday, conceding only two sets. L. Goldman and A. L. Sullivan were not in good form for the U.S.R.C. and obtained only 1½ sets. Scores: V. Gomes and F. J. Remedios (Recreio) beat L. Goldman and A. L. Sullivan 6-3; drew with Capt. L. Loch and J. M. Thompson 6-4; beat G. E. R. D. and F. J. Sullivan 6-3.

H. A. Barros and C. A. Barreto drew with Goldman and Sullivan 6-6; beat Loch and Thompson 6-2; beat Divel and Smalley 6-2.

A. R. Remedios and J. Gomes lost to Goldman and Sullivan 6-2; beat Loch and Thompson 6-2; beat Divel and Smalley 6-3.

The match between the S.C.A. and H.K.F.C. was postponed till to-morrow.

Some of the long journeys imposed on players of the top teams in the competition for places in the team. How are we to know that those who, by intensive training and unsparring expenditure of time become the successful candidates will not be faced with the same problem as Hare and come to the same conclusion?

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GREAT EXCITEMENT AS TWO SWIMMERS FOUL LANE ROPES

LAU PO-HEI TOO GOOD IN BACKSTROKE

(By "Abe")

As generally expected, Norman Lee won the 100 yards free style swimming championship of the Colony at the V.R.C. pool yesterday evening, but his time was 1 3/5 secs. outside the record for the event held by Wilfred Lawrence. The most pleasing feature of the race was the opposition given by L. Oliveira who was beaten by less than a second.

The times of both men would undoubtedly have been better if they had not fouled the lane rope. Neither of them kept in direct course, and at one stage they nearly collided. Again when he was only seven or eight yards from the finish, Lee swam against the rope and lost a fraction of a second.

Matching Lee stroke for stroke, Oliveira kept up with the Chinese champion for three quarters of the distance. In fact, he actually led by a couple of feet at the turn of the 50 yards, but lost ground when he got entangled. Later on, had he been further up with the leader, Oliveira might have won but at the moment that Lee lost his rhythm as the result of fouling the side of the lane, he was still about three yards behind and just failed to catch up.

LEE DISAPPOINTING

Though he won, Lee's performance yesterday was rather disappointing. He not only swam a ragged race, but also appeared to be too intent on watching Oliveira, who had drawn the next lane. He returned a time of 58.4/5 secs., which compares rather unfavourably with Lawrence's record of 57.1/5 secs.

I know for a fact that Lee broke the Colony record on several occasions in recent practices and in the Interport trials held two months ago, he registered 56.3/5 secs. It was because he was expected to lower the existing mark that his performance proved so disappointing in spite of the fact that he won.

H. L. Ozorio was a bad third, and Pte. Stemp, of the Middlesex Regiment, was last.

NO COMPETITION

Only two swimmers took part in the 100 yards back-stroke, which resulted in an easy win for Lau Po-hei, the record-holder. A. K. Rumjahn, the other competitor, is not yet in Lau's class as I said yesterday, but his performance was quite creditable. Undismayed by Lau's reputation, the Indian had set a

cracking pace over the first lap and was a foot in front in reaching the turn. Thereafter, he lost ground rapidly, and the Chinese, swimming with beautiful rhythm, went on to win by over seven seconds.

Had he been extended, Lau Po-hei almost certainly would have improved upon his present mark of 69 seconds. He had no opposition in the later part of the race and finished a fifth of a second outside the record. Spectators were all worked up near the finish as it was thought that there was a chance of his breaking the mark, but the stimulus of competition was lacking. Rumjahn was clocked at 77 seconds.

Several interesting events confirmed to members of the V.R.C. were also decided.

RACING SURPRISE Golden Sovereign Wins Gimcrack Stakes

London, Aug. 27. Golden Sovereign, Sir Abe Balley's horse, took the Gimcrack Stakes at York on August 26. The win was unexpected as Golden Sovereign was 6 to 1 and passed the winning post most tucked together with the Aga Khan's Tahir, n 3 to 1 on favourite, and Mr. Ellison's True Mate.

An objection to the winner was raised by C. Simrake, who rode Tahir, but the stewards fined Neve, who rode True Mate, for not keeping a straight course, and confirmed the placing of Golden Sovereign.

As a result of his success Sir Abe Balley will be the guest of honour at the Gimcrack dinner held at York in December.

PONIES CLASSIFIED

The following alterations and additions to the Hongkong Jockey Club



Lau Po-hei just failed to equal his own record while winning the 100 yards backstroke championship of the Colony at the V.R.C. yesterday.

Search For Laurels By Local Boxer

"Battling" Rio In Singapore.

According to news from Manila "Battling" Rio, one of the most promising boxers in Hongkong, has gone to Singapore in search ofistic honours.

Accompanied by Eugene Huat, the French former bantamweight champion of the world, Rio left the Colony for Manila recently and from there they continued their journey to Singapore.

Huat has already fixed up a fight in the Straits, and will meet Johnny Mortell at the New World Arena on Friday, October 1. Since his arrival in Singapore, Mortell has proved too good for his opponents in Malaya.

Nothing has been arranged for "Battling" Rio yet. He met with some success in Hongkong while fighting as a welterweight, his last bout here being against Fus. Morgan, to whom he lost on points at the Po Hing Theatre on July 31.

classification lists, dated March 16, have been announced:

Ouse to A Class, King's Lead to C Class, Defensive War to D Class, King's Parade to D Class, Fairy Auk to E Class.

Table Tennis Experts Coming Here

Szabados And Kelen Now In Australia

Air-mail information received in the Colony yesterday from Australia states that Mihlos Szabados and Istvan Kelen, Hungarian and world's table tennis champions, will visit Hongkong in the course of a world tour in December.

Szabados and Kelen are now in Australia and when they have completed their matches there, they will leave for the Far East. It is definitely known that they have booked their passages for Hongkong by the N.Y.K. Kitan Maru.

This information was given to a Telegraph representative at Melbourne by Harry Hopman, the famous Australian tennis ace.

There are several fine exponents of this game in Hongkong, especially among the Chinese. Though it is extremely doubtful whether even the best player here would be able to give Szabados and Kelen a fight, it should be possible to pick out two or three who can put up a respectable show if exhibition games are arranged when the visitors arrive. In any case we should have a first-class exhibition when the tourists play each other.

English Football Result

London, Sept. 28: Playing in the Northern Section of the Third Division in the English Football League, Accrington, at home, were held to a goalless draw by Chester to-day.—Reuter.

Released From Contract

GESTURE MADE TO FARR

Brig.-General A. C. Critchley has made a gesture to Tommy Farr. He is willing to release him from his contract to fight Max Schmeling at the White City, London, this month.

Said the general: "I have had a telephone conversation with my New York representative and I told him I am prepared to release him.

"I propose to take no action in view of the British champion's magnificent show against Louis. It would be almost unpatriotic to do so."

"Farr will be informed that if he comes back he will be very welcome so far as we are concerned, and if he decides to fight for us all well and good."

"Farr declared in an affidavit before leaving that he would return and fulfil his contract, and has made repeated statements to this effect since, but I am quite happy to release him."

"Anyhow," adds the general, "I have been informed that the British champion is not in a condition to fight at the White City in the period stipulated."

WORLD TENNIS ACES ALTER PLANS

Germans And Americans To Miss Hongkong

(By "Abe")

Already disappointed when it was announced recently that Harry Hopman and Len Schwartz, the Australian tennis players, would not pass through the Colony owing to the cancellation of the Japanese championships, Colony tennis enthusiasts will now feel more so, as it is extremely improbable that they will see Gottfried von Cramm, Heinrich Henkel, Donald Budge and Gene Mako in action on local courts this year.

Information received from Australia yesterday was to the effect that the German team, which were originally expected to go through Hongkong on their way to Australia for the annual championships there, will travel via Singapore instead. They will, therefore, miss the Colony.

To make this worse, it is believed that Budge and Mako are going to Australia via New Zealand.

The present political situation in the Far East is the cause of the change of plan by both parties. "If the trouble clears up in time, however, there is just a possibility that the Germans and the Americans will return to their native countries via the Far East," adds the message.

Personally I think it is a case of the wish being father to the thought. I fail to see why the Germans should go out of their way to come to Hongkong on their return journey if they do not pass through on their way to Australia. In the case of the Americans, prospects are slightly brighter; but even then, I do not think we will see them unless they want to return to the United States via Japan. This is the only hope.

CRICKETERS LEAVE

London, Sept. 28: The New Zealand cricket team left London to-day, homeward bound. Vivian, vice-captain, said that although they did not win the tests they had gained valuable experience.

Members of the M.C.C. said farewell to the New Zealanders at Victoria Station.—Reuter Bulletin.



Baron Gottfried von Cramm is not likely to come to Hongkong according to latest information.

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TOMMY FARR NOT GIVEN A FAIR DEAL

Liberal Dose Of Calumny From U. S. Experts

(By Fred Dartnell)

New York, Aug. 31. I shall sail for home to-morrow in the Aquitania, well satisfied that Tommy Farr has made a complete triumph with the American public, despite the fact that he lost the match with Louis.

Mike Jacobs, that shrewd fellow who promoted the fight, hit the nail on the head when he remarked in Farr's dressing-room after the fight that he had fooled all the experts.

What those "experts" think does not matter.

After treating Farr to a prolonged, whose venomous malignity has become commonplace.

AN INSULT

One of Farr's tormentors has the impudence this morning to call his "moral victory."

That, coming from such an immoral pen, is an insult.

Now is Farr exactly indebted to some of the British scribes, one of whom put on record his opinion that Farr had as much chance as Shirley Temple of beating Louis.

Farr returned to his camp, Long Branch, immediately after the fight.

This morning, when I called on Mike Jacobs, who has extended me the fullest courtesy during my stay, he proudly showed me a file of more than 200 telegrams for Farr from all parts of the world.

Members of the Legion in Australia, South Africa and Canada cabled the Empire's delight, and many messages from home, written in Welsh, offered Farr congratulations.

The radio treated Farr most generously, making him the winner, but although at the first blush, I was inclined to think the same because of his splendid aggression, on second thoughts, I agree with the verdict which enabled Louis to retain the title.

DESERVED A DRAW

Farr deserved a draw, but championship fights must be decided one way or the other.

The most amazing statement is that the referee considered Louis had won 15 rounds and Farr one, and that the fifteenth round was even.

"Oh, judgment, thou art fled to brutish beasts, said the immortal bard, "and men have lost their

He might have added "and sense of prophecy regarding this monstrous perversion of justice at Yankee Stadium."

Farr is staying in America. Matches are being considered for him with Schmeling, Buer, Braddock or Pastor as possible opponents.

Farr wants a return to Louis, however, and asked Jacobs to return £1,000 of his purse-money as a side wager for that purpose.

The match may eventuate next summer, for Farr is now regarded as a regular money-spinner by promotional interests.

Louis, whose hand has been placed in a plaster cast, will probably make a European tour next month, visiting London, Berlin, Paris, and Rome, giving exhibitions.

It is not improbable that in these Max Baer may take a supporting part.

WHAT CRITICS SAY NOW

Comments in American newspapers are quoted by Reuter:

New York Telegram: "Farr did not win but he made it powerfully close. The fact is, if he had been able to hit at all he would have knocked out Louis."

New York Journal: "Joe 'Giant Killer' Louis turned out to be, a bit of a Welsh rabbit before Farr."

Associated Press: "Farr, who wasn't supposed to have a chance, took everything but the decision. Farr not only stunned the experts, but he thrilled the crowd by the game, determined fashion in which he repeatedly carried the fight to the hard-hitting champion."

New York Daily News: "Farr fought a cute battle, wowing and crouching, and then standing up and juggling, in the early rounds. He was a very nasty and annoying young man. In the middle rounds, and he had Louis angry and baffled. In the last round."

GATE RECEIPTS

Revised figures of the receipts show that Farr actually received \$1,292 dollars (about £12,650), the percentage he had the option of taking exceeding the guarantee.

Louis received exactly double Farr's share.

Odol

It's pleasant to taste!



Beautiful Barbara Read, representing the modern generation, and Victor Moore, representing the generation of her grandparents, come into conflict in "Make Way For To-morrow," a screen play by Vina Delmar which comes to the Queen's Theatre to-day.



"Corkey," the two-year-old wire terrier, seems very much interested in the love affair between Irene Dunn and Melvyn Douglas in Columbia's "Theodora Goes Wild," which is showing to-day at the King's Theatre.

White City For Cup Finals?

Football Association Cup Finals at the White City Stadium, London.

Expansion of the White City ground at an expenditure of £250,000.

Plan to make room for 50,000 more people in the Stadium, which now accommodates about 100,000.

Mr. H. J. Huband, hon. treasurer of the Football Association, said recently that negotiations are underway for this great scheme.

ENGLISH WOMEN'S GOLF TITLE

St. Endor, Sept. 28.

In the third round of the English Women's Golf Championship, Miss Wanda Morgan (holder) beat Miss Kathleen Garnham at the twenty-first.—Reuters.

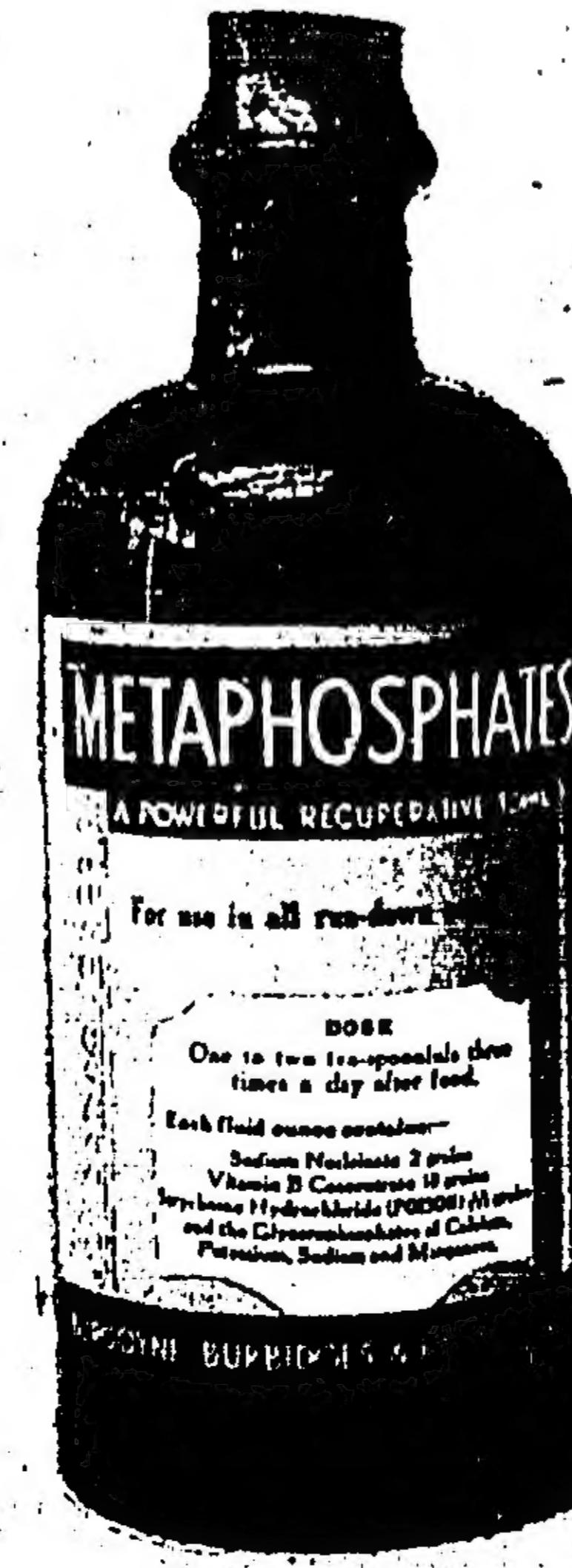
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Badminton Affairs

Officers Elected At Annual Meeting

The Hongkong Badminton Association held its annual meeting at St. Andrew's Hall yesterday when Rev. J. R. Higgs (President) took the chair, supported by Mr. S. A. Gray (Secretary), and Mr. F. H. Kwok (Treasurer).

The following officers were elected: President, Rev. J. R. Higgs; Vice-President, Mr. E. de Sousa; Treasurer, Mr. F. H. Kwok.

Messrs. E. Abraham, R. E. Lindsell, T. E. Pearce, E. M. Raymond and E. M. V. de Sousa were re-elected Hon. Vice-Chancellors. Mr. D. J. Sloss, new Vice-Chancellor of the University, was elected to take the place of Sir William Hornell as an Hon. Vice-President. Mr. E. I. Leitao, President of the Club de Recreio, was also elected an Hon. Vice-President.

As Mr. Gray intimated that he was unable to continue as secretary the position was left open until the first Committee meeting in the S. C. M. Post, Ltd., board-room at 5.30 p.m. on October 14.

Mr. Gray said he had received a letter from the Malayan Badminton Association proposing a visit to the Colony next January, and suggesting that Shanghai also be invited to send a team.

CHESS MEETING

President's Appeal For More Members

The annual meeting of the Kowloon Chess Club was held yesterday at St. Andrew's Hall. Rev. G. E. S. Updell took the chair and was supported by Mr. A. Kurrik (Secretary) and Mr. K. M. A. Barnett (treasurer).

In his presidential address Mr. Updell made an appeal for donations and more members. He said chess was an excellent game for the training of the mind.

Following were the officers elected.—President, Rev. G. E. S. Updell; Vice-President, J. S. Smith; Secretary, A. Kurrik; Treasurer, K. M. A. Barnett; Captain, D. E. Carvalho; Committee.—Messrs. A. C. Mitchell, V. "Wing" C. the Open Champion, V. Rush; winner of the Club championship, D. E. Carvalho.

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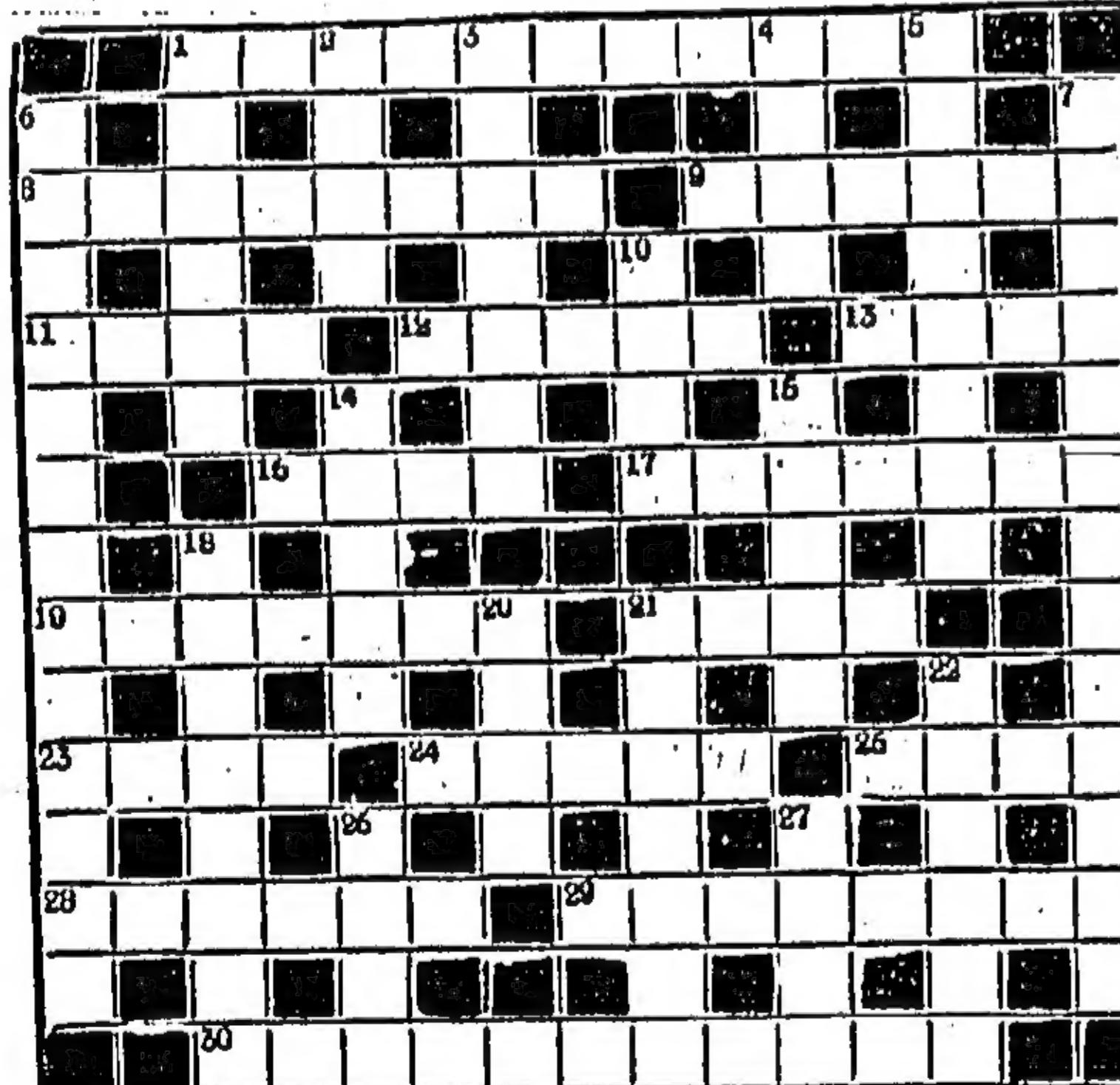
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- Now here George Washington did lie.
- Such a log is not recognised at Lloyd's.
- They should not be keepers.
- Each in this arrives.
- It is in little foot, first losing a letter, often doubled.
- It has been written that no test is complete without it.
- This one's for the golfer.
- Russian river girl.
- Endear. (Anag.)
- This lottery is not illegal in England.
- Mental greed is responsible for this trickery.

DOWN

- There's an air about an abstainer, but it doesn't extend to the finger-tips.
- This word sounds like grass, or a colour, according to tense.
- Anger.
- Is she a flag-seller?
- Commonly, fodder.
- Stern romances. (Anag.)

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BOOKS OF THE WEEK

Edited by Roger Pippett



ELLA K. MAILLART

The Moon Is Making

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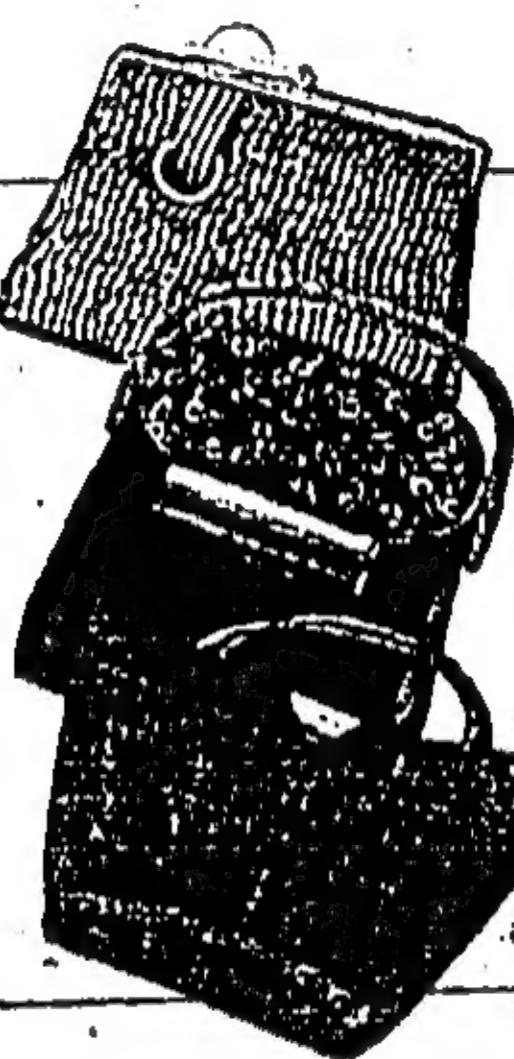
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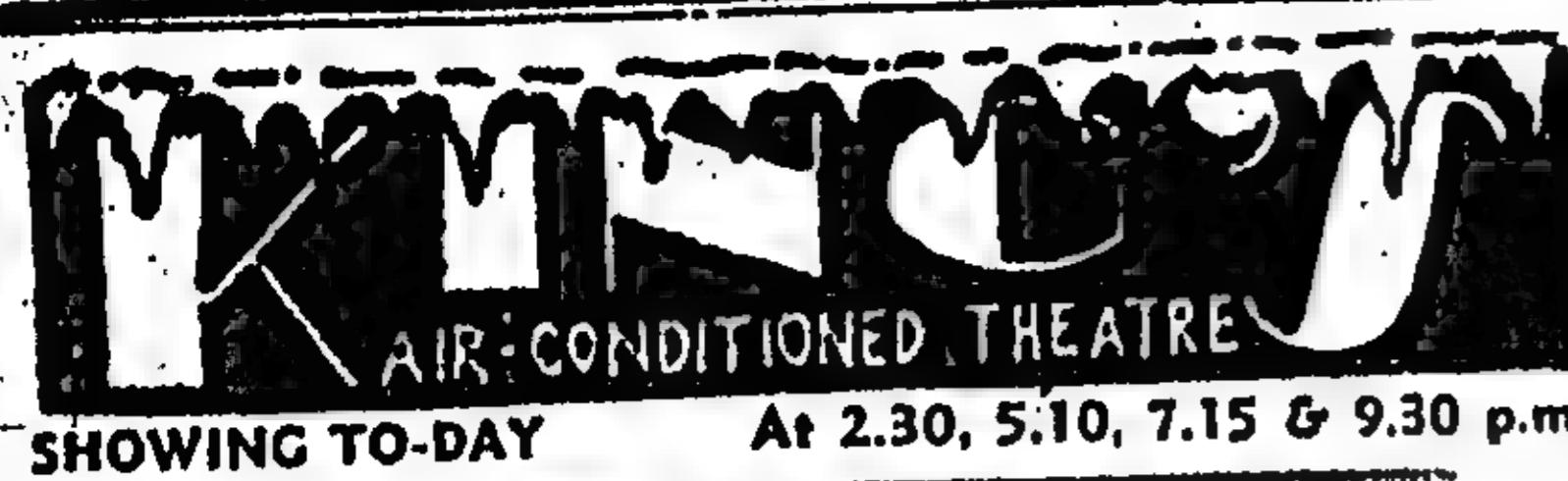


English Engineers at Chatham recently gave demonstrations of bridge building, aerial bombing and gas attacks. The scene above shows the rescue of gas-stricken workers from a mine. The victim on a rescue mat is being brought up from a mine.

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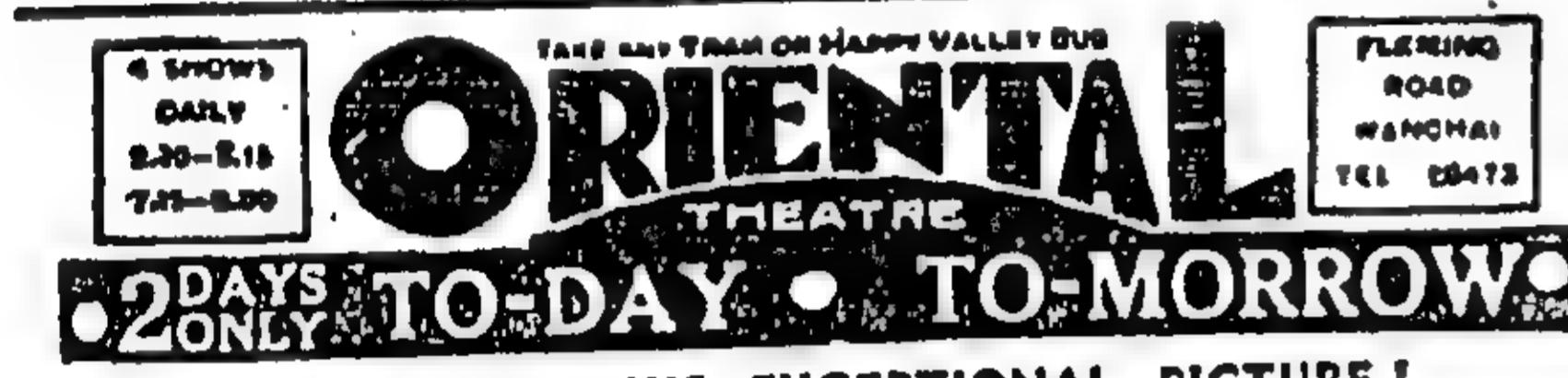


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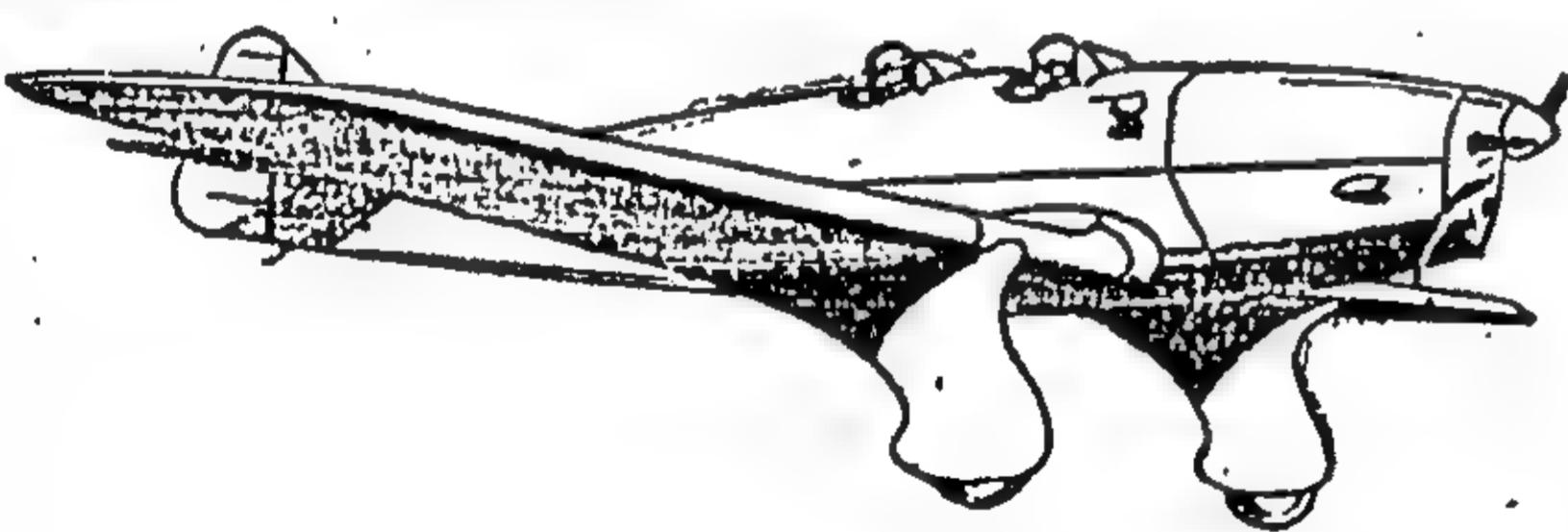


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League Can Offer China Greater Aid

Paris Newspaper Holds Out Hope Of Intervention

Paris, Sept. 28. The well-known Paris newspaper *L'Opinion*, in an editorial on the Far East war, says that it appears China should be happier than Spain in the results she carries away from Geneva.

The *Petit Journal* declares that the League, if it wishes, can offer China more substantial aid than the moral condemnation of an aggressor.—Reuter.

GUARD AGAINST IMPURE WATER

All vessels supplying drinking water in ships in harbour are brought within the scope of an Order-in-Council made by His Excellency the O.A.C. and notified this morning.

The vessels must be subject to a thorough examination by the office of the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services and must undergo periodic sanitary cleaning. No animals or birds will be allowed on these vessels, the Order being intended to prevent any chance of disease being imparted to the water.

LINEN CONTRACTS FOR CHINA Must Be Fulfilled

London, Sept. 28. Linen shippers, interested in the export trade to China, met in Belfast to-day and discussed the situation arising from the Far East war. It was decided unanimously that all contracts must be fulfilled and that any failure to carry them out would be dealt with effectively by the linen trade as a whole.—Reuter.

RUBBER CONTROL PLAN UNCHANGED

Paris, Sept. 28. The International Rubber Regulation Committee met to-day, but no communiqué was issued.

However, a member of the committee told Reuter that "No modifications of the existing regulations were decided on at to-day's meeting." There was merely an exchange of views on the present situation.

It was decided that it was too early to fix regulations for the quarter of 1938, which will be done at a subsequent meeting, either in October or November.—Reuter.

SHIPS IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATION

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with the Hongkong radio station: Rioclaro, Bangalore, Severn, Leigh, Tjibaduk, Tilawa, Toyama Maru, Hongkong, Schrnhorst, Empress of Japan, Bondejoe, Ginyo Maru, Shunlun, Potsdam, and President Garfield.

London To Vancouver In 48 Hours

Ottawa, Sept. 28. The President of the Canadian National Railways said to-day that as a result of the air service across Canada, it will be possible to reach Vancouver from London in 48 hours.

He declared that the Canadian Government has requested the Canadian National Railways to take over the control and management of the trans-Canadian air service.

The journey from Montreal to Vancouver is expected to take 17 hours.—Reuter.

LIFEBELTS FOR H.K. AIRCRAFT

Lifebelts must now be available for every passenger of flying machines taking off from or arriving at Hongkong on public transport work and which may be ten miles from land at any time during its flight, according to a Government Notification now issued.

The lifebelt must be such as to enable the wearer to make an easy exit from the machine when the belt is inflated and regular inspection must be made to see that the belts are in good condition.

UNEMPLOYMENT PROBE

London, Sept. 28. Mr. Ernest Brown, Minister for Labour, continuing his investigation of the unemployment situation in England, to-day visited Harrowgate. He is very concerned about the question of employment for men from 45 to 60 years of age, and of young men who have had no settled work since leaving school.—Reuter.

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AUSTRALIA-HONGKONG AIR LINKS

NEW ALTERNATIVE ROUTES SOON

Two alternative air routes from Hongkong to Australia will be provided before the end of this year.

Pan American Airways and Imperial Airways are to operate a service that will link Sydney and Auckland with the existing Pan American Airways trans-Pacific service.

The Dutch K.L.M. line will commence a service next month that will link Port Darwin with Manila, via Batavia. Pending negotiations with the Hongkong and Chinese authorities the new K.L.M. service will terminate at Manila, and passengers for the Asian mainland will be transferred to the Hongkong Clipper.

The Anglo-American service across the southern Pacific will link with the existing Pan American service at Honolulu. It will be possible to travel from Sydney to Hongkong by this route in seven days, the time taken at present to travel direct via Port Darwin and Penang.

K.L.M. will provide a two day service between Port Darwin and Manila.

LUXURY YACHT COMING HERE

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The Westward, Britain's largest four-masted auxiliary yacht, which is owned by Mr. Harold K. Hales, a 69-year-old London merchant, will be seen in Hongkong early next year.

She sails from London in November on a round-the-world trip, travelling outward via the City of Good Hope and homeward by way of the Panama Canal. The voyage is expected to last nine months.

The Westward is at present being fitted out at Southend. Of 2,000 tons, she was built in Sweden in 1921 for the Australian grain trade. She made three voyages to Australia.

The Westward lay for 10 years on a sandbank at Southampton, and was about to be broken up when Mr. Hales bought her for £3,000 and had her reconditioned.

MANCHUKUO YOUTHS

PRESSSED INTO ARMY FOR SERVICE IN CHINA

Nanking, Sept. 28. Many young Chinese men in Manchuria have been pressed into military service by the Japanese and have been forced to take part in the front-line fighting in Shanghai, according to a report received here from a divisional commander at the front.

The report states that a large number of Manchurian youths were found among the Japanese troops around Jukong Wharf during the fighting earlier in the month.

One of the Manchurian soldiers revealed that the Japanese are continuing to press Chinese young men into the army in the three north-eastern provinces of Fengtien, Heilungkiang and Kirin. Those who refuse to join are killed, with their entire families, he added. "We have also been warned that we would be shot if we attempted to revolt at the front," the soldier said.—Central News.

TOKYO DECREES

Tokyo, Sept. 28. The Japanese War Office has decreed that all soldiers now stationed in China or at present being mobilised in Japan must remain in service indefinitely despite expiration of their service terms. The War Office also decreed that officers and privates whose terms are due to expire in 1938 must remain in service for an additional year. These decrees will become effective immediately and also apply to those in the active reserve services.—United Press.

WANT TO REMAIN

INTERNE SPANIARDS IN EXETER PRISON

London, Sept. 28. The repatriation of 84 officers and men who have been interned in Exeter Prison because they refused to rejoin the Spanish Government destroyer Jose Luis Diaz, which arrived in England damaged after a naval battle with the Insurgents, began to-night.

The first batch of 10 men left for Southampton and the other men will be removed later in similar batches. Their passage have been booked to Paris, whence they will be escorted to the Spanish frontier.

It is understood that none of the men wishes to leave England.—Reuter Special.

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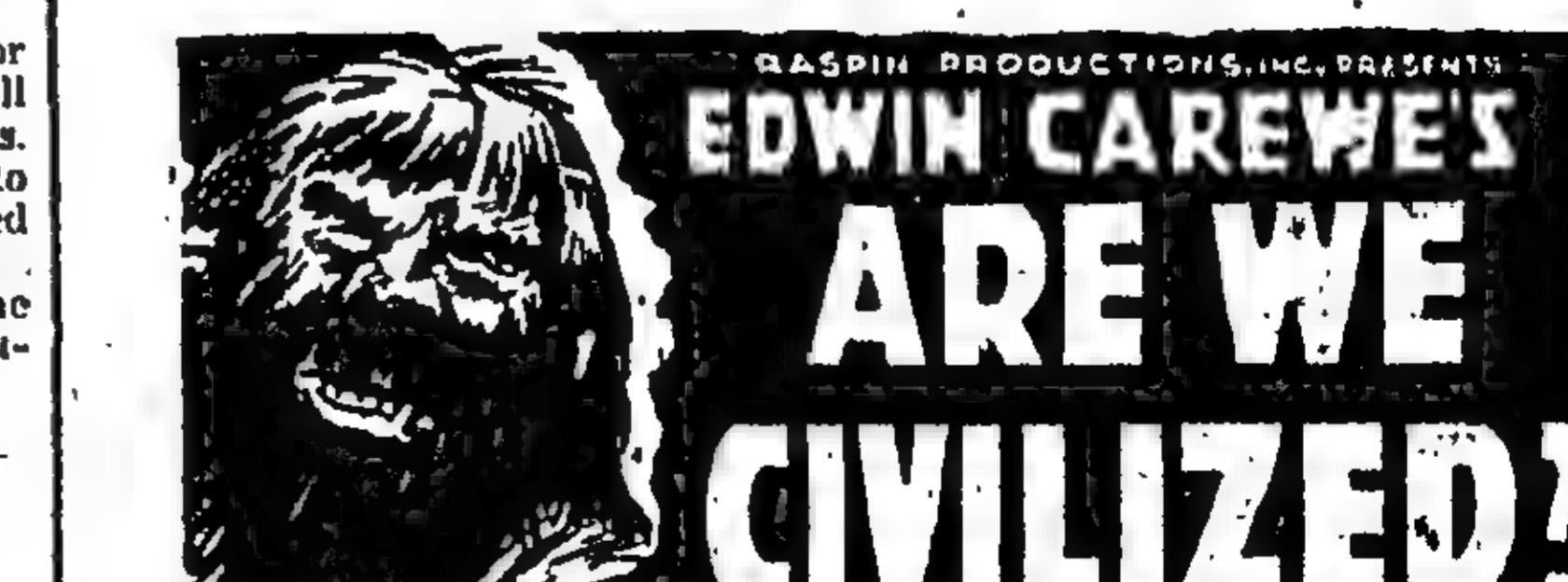
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OMINOUS QUIET FOLLOWS HEAVY BOMBARDMENT AND OFFENSIVE EXPECTED IN SHANGHAI AREA

Shanghai, Sept. 29.

An ominous quiet, believed to presage a Japanese offensive has descended in the vicinity of the Settlement, following the early furious bombardment.

However the week-old battle on the Liuhang sector continued throughout the night, following a Japanese naval barrage.

A tremendous blast in the immediate vicinity of the International Settlement rocked the Cathay Hotel, jumping the typewriter beneath the fingers of a *United Press* correspondent early to-day.

Japanese warships are sweeping the Pootung waterfront and the Whangpoo off the Settlement Bund with searchlights. It is believed the explosion was caused by a Chinese torpedo fired from one of the speedy British-built coastal patrol boats imported a few months before the war, which once before attempted to sink the Idzumo.

EAR-SPLITTING BARRAGE

Japanese warships off Hongkew, including the flagship Idzumo, have opened an ear-splitting barrage on Pootung, a multitude of heavy naval guns pouring tons of shells faster than can be counted into the Chinese sector. Chinese batteries in Pootung are replying.

The incessant barrage, which has lasted an hour, awakened the entire city, bringing a flood of messages to the *United Press* office. The original blast, foreign naval authorities attributed to a torpedo-planting mine, shattered numerous windows in the Settlement and on the Bund, and shook down sandbags which had been piled up in front of many buildings. The bombardment is continuing.—*United Press*.

Attacks On All Sectors

Shanghai, Sept. 29. The Japanese launched attacks on all sectors this morning.

While artillery blazed, sending shells after shell into the Chinese lines, bombers loosed their destructive charges.

The immediate vicinity of the North Station received most attention, several shells, it is reported, finding their mark.

Chinese anti-aircraft guns which gave their first display yesterday, were again brought into action, but no success by them has yet been reported.—*Reuter*.

Attempt To Take Kiangwan Racecourse Fails

Shanghai, Sept. 29. Japanese vanguards attempted to capture Kiangwan Racecourse late last night but were repulsed by the Chinese forces in that vicinity, it was announced this morning.—*Central News*.

Several Hundred Refugees Bombed In Pukow

Nanking, Sept. 29. Though the exact figures have been ascertained, it is believed several hundred Chinese refugees waiting to be sent north were at Pukow when Japanese planes bombed the station on Monday afternoon.

Further details released reveal that a tall water tower and a number of houses were bombed.—*United Press*.

STOP PRESS

BOMB DISABLES CHINESE SLOOP

According to reliable Chinese sources, the Chinese sloop Shu Wah was disabled by a bomb dropped from a Japanese aircraft while the vessel was on patrol near Whampoa, in the Canton River entrance early this morning.

The Shu Wah only recently left Hongkong, where she was undergoing repairs in Takkoo docks.

MYSTERY PLANE NEAR COLONY

The British steamer Lyceum, which arrived here this morning reported that when she was about 170 miles southwest of Hongkong a large seaplane marked with red, white and blue markings appeared from the west and circled the ship twice.

The plane then made off towards a Norwegian ship which was about ten miles north-east and circled that ship several times.

Reuter.

CANTON AGAIN RAIDED

Firing Audible On Shamian.

Canton, Sept. 29. (0.15 a.m.)

After a tranquil night, Canton was again flung into suspense when the air raid alarm was sounded throughout the city at 8.55 this morning.—*Reuter*.

Alleged Spy Arrested

Canton, Sept. 29 (0.25 a.m.). The city is still awaiting the arrival of Japanese planes. Meanwhile mild excitement has been caused outside the British bridge at Shamian when an alleged spy was arrested by Chinese police. He is believed to have indulged in signalling activities.

An irate crowd followed, shouting abuse at the unfortunate prisoner.

"All Clear" Sounds

The all-clear signal has just sounded, but no details as to the effect of this morning's brief raid are available.

Firing was distinctly audible to the east of the city and it is believed a few bombs were dropped, but this, at present, is not certain.

It has transpired that during yesterday morning's raid four bombs were dropped at Whampoa. A foreign observer states that two were aimed at the military establishment there but missed the mark, landing on the shore, while two others were aimed at the Chinese cruiser Chaoho, which also missed.

Japanese planes apparently flew so low over the cruiser that their bomb-rocks were plainly visible.

Reuter.

CREW WANTS BIG BONUS TO SAIL TO JAPAN

Houston, Texas, Sept. 29. Thirty members of the Norwegian crew of the *As Vestvold* have refused to sail to Japan with a cargo of scrap-iron unless they are paid a bonus of 1,000 Kroner.—*United Press*.

(Continued on Page 4.)

Passengers On H.K. Ship Off Waglan Watch Chinese Junks Machine-Gunned

RICE FOR CHINA'S HOMELESS



In many big cities and little, isolated villages to-day there are Chinese men, women and children left destitute by the war. Thousands are hungry. In Tientsin they have been fed by Japanese soldiers on occasions; in Nanking the Government has established food distribution centres; in Shanghai the International Settlement has its refugee camps. Above is a typical scene in a northern city where the hungry populace queues up for free rice.

HULL APPARENTLY BACKING LEAGUE CONDEMNATION

Washington, Sept. 28.

Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State, has in effect, though not directly, endorsed the League of Nations' committee's resolution condemning the Japanese bombing of Chinese cities, by drawing attention to the United States' similar protest delivered at the time of the attacks.

"The American Government, as has been set forth to the Japanese Government repeatedly, and especially in this Government's note of September 22, holds the view that any general bombing of an extensive area in which resides a large populace engaged in peaceful pursuits is unwarranted and contrary to the principles of law and humanity," Mr. Hull declared.

The Japanese Government had not replied to this note, Mr. Hull went on.

When any tangible developments occur in connection with the League meeting, he continued, the United States will consider them carefully. Meanwhile, he indicated that not one of the welter of views and ideas, suggested or rumoured and at present circulating in Geneva, had reached a point where definite proposals of a course of action had been presented for American concurrence.

Other State Department officials denied the Geneva reports that the United States had rejected the proposal for a conference of nations in the Pacific position, saying no such plan had been submitted to the United States. It is admitted, however, that Mr. Hull on August 23 said, in effect, that such a

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Philanthropist

Kweilin, Sept. 29. The Kunian educational commission has received \$35,000 from Mr. Aw Boon-haw, wealthy Chinese residing in Singapore and Hongkong. The funds will be used to construct 10 primary schools in the province.—*Central News*.

KAYING HALTED BY RAIDER HUNTING PREY NEAR COLONY

SURVIVORS OF EARLIER MASSACRE RESCUED; FRAIL BAMBOO RAFT SIX DAYS ADRIFT

Passengers and crew of the China Navigation Company steamer Kaying were helpless witnesses of the machine-gunning of two Chinese junks by a Japanese destroyer ten miles from Hongkong on Monday evening.

Only a few hours before, the ship had picked up two Chinese found floating on a fragile bamboo raft 30 miles or so from Hongkong waters.

The men had with them a large empty waterbottle. Their hands and feet were bleached with exposure, but through parched lips they told to the Captain the same story of a submarine attack on a fishing fleet off Cheeling Point which the H.K. Telegraph first published Monday.

This confirmation of Japan's war on helpless fishing junks was obtained from German and English passengers of the Kaying, which is at Canton to-day. The passengers stopped off here.

The passengers, who have asked that their names should not be disclosed, are young local men. One of them, speaking for both, gave this story of the afternoon's happenings.

Sighted Bamboo Raft

The Kaying was about 50 or 60 miles off Waglan in the late afternoon when we saw a bamboo raft with two Chinese clinging to it. There was a small rag hung up to serve the purpose of a flag.

The Kaying lowered a boat and the men were brought on board. From what they said, they confirmed the story that a submarine had wiped out a fishing fleet on September 22, because they had been floating on their raft ever since. They were in a state of extreme exhaustion and we gave them food and water.

Water Exhausted

The raft consisted only of four pieces of bamboo lashed together. The men had a large empty water bottle which had apparently long been dry. They said they had been with other fishing boats six days ago when a Japanese submarine fired on them and, as far as they knew, wiped up the entire fleet.

The fishing junks "Sin Pak Yau" and "Lo Fat Yau" were fishing near Samon Customs Station yesterday morning, about three to four hours sailing from Hongkong, when they were challenged by a Japanese warship and told to get away in the junk's small boats. After they left the junks, their vessels were set on fire by the Japanese.

The fishing junk has not shown up, and it is feared the small boat in which it crowded may have foundered.

JAPANESE LEAFLETS DISTRIBUTED

After junks are destroyed, the Japanese frequently hand out leaflets to the crews they are abandoning in small boats. Typical is this story of the burning of their fishing junk by a Japanese warship's crew.

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Up till now, the crew of the other fishing junk has not shown up, and it is feared the small boat in which it crowded may have foundered.

It was growing dark when we got off Waglan a Japanese destroyer approached us and signalled us to stop.

The destroyer came almost alongside but we were not boarded. There were other craft on the horizon and the destroyer went off apparently to inspect them, but about dusk she came up to us again when we were about ten miles from Waglan.

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"As we drew ahead we heard the crackle of machine gun fire and saw the destroyer firing on the two junks. There was absolutely no doubt of this and there were several passengers as well as the crew who both saw and heard the firing. The Kaying continued on her way and as

we approached the station on the afternoon of September 22, we saw the two junks burning.

Mr. and Mrs. Davidson are now on leave. Mr. Davidson has been taken over by the former Chinese.

Paris says— BOX JACKETS & BASQUES



Algorian red suit with draped front, to form a basque. Pockets, neckline, skirt and sleeves are lavishly trimmed with Persian lamb. The blouse, which is made from cyclamen silk jersey, continues the draped line of the smart jacket.

MIDGE

"How do you like my new paddling outfit?"

Methodical Woman

ARE you a never-a-hair-out-of-place woman, punctilious about your toilet, and very methodical in your home? Paying attention to details in dress and in housekeeping is a good thing, but like all good things, it can be overdone, and some women are apt to become slaves of routine, especially in household matters.

You have met the hostess who has a time-table arranged for her guests, and nothing will persuade her after the lunch or dinner hour occasionally to suit them. Day after day everything in her house runs on well-oiled wheels, and anything which interferes with the routine will make her frown. She rarely experiments with different styles of decoration, or introduces new items in her menus, and were it not for the fact that she feels rather proud of her methods, everyday life would be decidedly boring to her.

In the business world, however, the methodical woman is in her element. Amid ledgers, letters, and filing systems she has plenty of scope for arranging things to her liking, but anyone who suggests some alterations in her methods is likely to meet with a cold reception. She has even found out the most methodical way of coming to the office in the morning, and goes backwards and forwards day after day over the same ground, without pausing to think how refreshing another route would be for a change.

Through time the methodical woman loses the inclination to deviate from her rules and time-tables, and misses a great many of the unexpected pleasures which the more easy-going woman enjoys.

L. R. R.



Square shoulders and a straight cut give a box-like effect to the jacket of this suit in raspberry pink tweed. Bands of dark brown nutria trim coat and skirt and touches of the fur appear on hat and gloves.

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Food looks more appetising when served in silver dishes and on silver platters. Streamlined entree dishes, with engraved handles, modern asparagus dishes, smooth silver sauce boats, modelled on Georgian lines, are all important accessories that contribute greatly to the success of a party.

E. M.

WHICH do you prefer—a waisted, or full, squarely-cut coat? You will be fashion right whichever you wear.

Our Paris artist has sketched two examples of the autumn suit silhouette, with accompanying blouses. On the left a costume in Algorian red is trimmed with Persian lamb.

The coat has a new draped front which forms a basque effect. Notice how lavishly fur is used as a trimming—on pockets, neckline, sleeves, and the sides of the skirt.

Fur and fabric divide the autumn honours. In many suit coats, fur panels alternate with fabric. Sleeves, too, are half and half, while a sparsely-trimmed costume will have a fur waistcoat and fur turban-shaped hat.

Styles that are belted have a novelty fur must attached just large enough to insert the hands.

The cyclamen pink silk jersey blouse worn with the model also introduces the draped note.

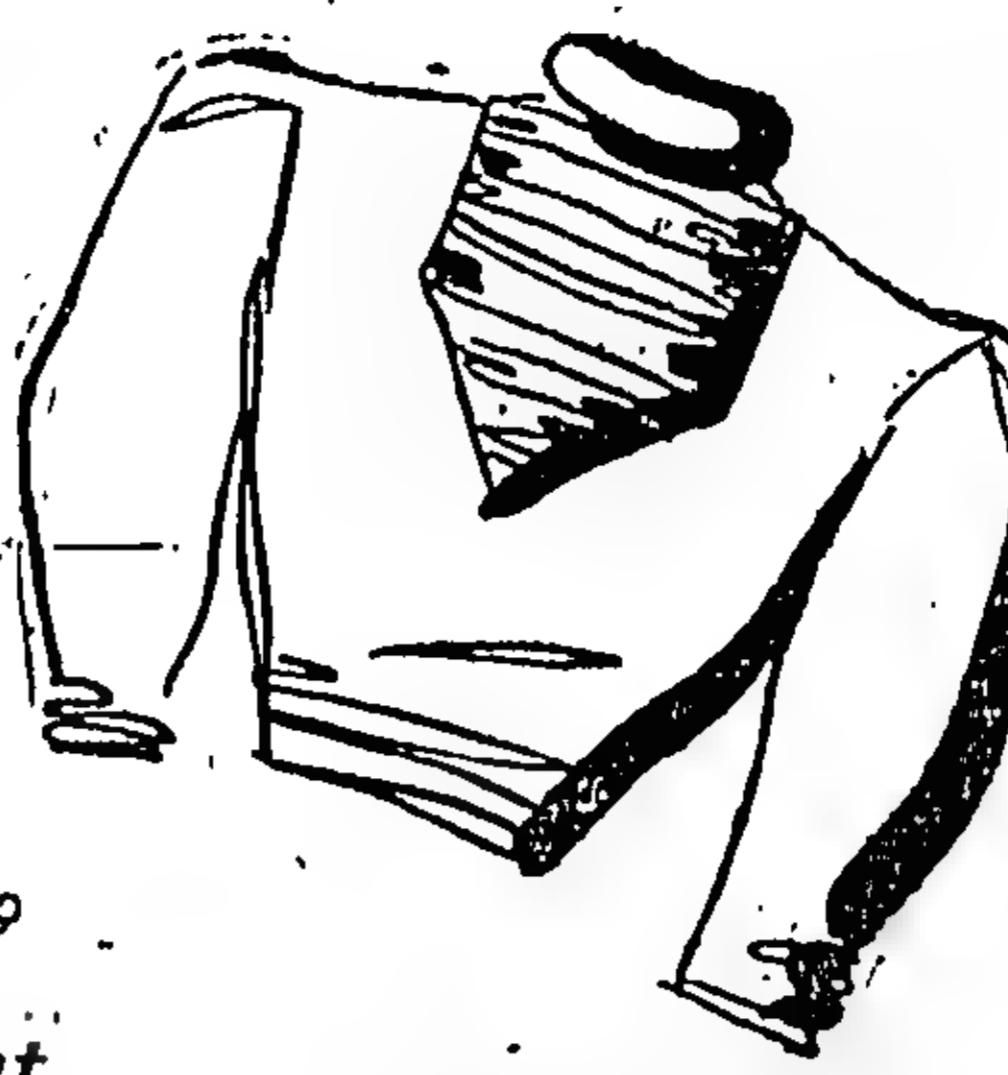
Below is a tailored suit in raspberry pink tweed. This has contrasting insets of pastel blue below the neckline; the insets on the pockets are in the same shade. Both coat and skirt are trimmed with dark brown nutria.

This long-fitting design with a back inclined to fullness is an easy style. The box-like cut gives the effect of a Chinese coat jacket.

The hat, too, has its touch of nutria, and the gloves worn are half nutria, half tweed. In many cases, gloves match their costumes; or, with a plain-coloured suit, accessories can be used in the skirt.—MARY GRACE.

Classically-cut coats and skirts are often in contrast effect—checked, plain and herringbone; coats with plain skirts, or jackets are plain with revers, pockets and cuffs of the patterned fabric used in the skirt.—MARY GRACE.

News About AUTUMN SUITS



A gathered inset vest softens the clear-cut line of this blue crepe-de-chine blouse designed to accompany the suit below. Note the bolster neckline and the return of the three-quarter sleeve.

FIRST AID FROM THE KITCHEN

MINOR casualties of some sort are bound to occur from time to time in every household, and a little store of first-aid requisites should always be kept safe at hand. It does happen sometimes, however, that accidents take place away from home, when the family medicine chest is not available. In this case it is useful to know that many very excellent remedies can be found among the ordinary household stores.

Most people know the efficacy of the blue but as a remedy for wasp and bee stings, but it is so generally

realised that a raw sliced onion is equally good, or even a little damp salt. The place should first be examined to see if the sting is still left in, and if so it should be squeezed out at once. If there is much swelling and irritation, a compress of a folded handkerchief wrung out in hot water will relieve the pain.

In the case of a gnaw bite, a drop of pure ammonia will ease the pain, if dabbed on at once, and when going a picnic it is a good idea to carry a small flat bottle of ammonia in the handbag or pocket.

Vinegar is invaluable in many ways. A mixture of vinegar and honey, taken in sips, or used with water as a gargle, is splendid for warding off incipient sore throats.

In the event of a bad attack of hiccoughs, take half a teaspoonful of vinegar very slowly, then hold the breath as long as possible.

Bruises and Burns.

For a bruised knee or elbow, the result of a knock, make a paste of fine oatmeal and vinegar, and spread it thickly over the bruise, then bandage firmly, and keep on for an hour or two or overnight. The pain and discolouration will have almost disappeared by the morning.

The pain of any bruise will be considerably relieved if a little dry starch or arrowroot, just moistened with cold water, is applied at once.

Butter or olive oil, rubbed lightly over the place, are two other good kitchen remedies for a bruise.

A smear of butter over slight burns and scalds will often prevent blistering.

Ordinary kitchen salt has many uses. It is an excellent natural stimulant, and if you are feeling tired and exhausted, put a teaspoonful of salt in a tumbler of hot water, and sip it slowly. It will refresh and invigorate you in a wonderful way.

A sore throat can often be relieved by a gargle of hot water to which a teaspoonful of salt has been added.

A Substitute for a Hotwater Bottle

In cases of sudden illness, an extra hot water bottle is often wanted. As a substitute for this, fill a flannel bag with salt, place in a hot oven for an hour or two, and put in the bed. This bag will retain its heat for as long as a hot water bottle.

An old-fashioned but most efficacious cure for a sore throat is made by spreading salt, heated in the oven, on a flannel or in a woollen stocking, tying the ends, and wrapping it round the throat.

In the case of a cut or wound, when there is no iodine at hand, use a weak solution of salt and water for bathing it. This both heals and cleanses it, warding off any danger of blood-poisoning.

Onions have their uses too. Earache is soon relieved if an onion is boiled, wrapped in a clean handkerchief, and bound over the ear. An excellent cure for a severe cough is a raw onion, chopped up finely and covered with brown sugar. The fumes help the breathing, and the juice eases the cough.

If a cold is starting and the patient feels "chesty," rub a camphor ball well into a nugget of lard, and massage the chest with this until it glows. To complete the cure give a glass of hot milk in which a spoonful of powdered cinnamon has been stirred. The patient will be well by morning.

Most of us know the discomfort which can be caused by a tiny fishbone which has lodged in the mouth or throat, and refuses to be dislodged. The best remedy is to eat a lemon, and the bone will mysteriously vanish.

M. L. Stoddard

A FEW USEFUL TIPS ABOUT MEAT PIES

"**PERFECT**," declares the culinary critic who has partaken of a really good home-made pie, and the housewife whose achievement merits this high praise may well feel pleased, for to be able to make excellent meat-pies is an extremely use accomplishment.

In the first place, a meat pie can be put on the table either hot or cold, and it can be made the day before, or a couple of hours before a meal is due. Secondly, baked in a pie, a little meat, fish, or poultry goes quite a long way, and if that small quantity is eaten out with a bit of egg macaroni, or vegetable, it is quite possible for the pie to be all the better for this convenient economy.

Pie-Crusts to Eat Cold.

Hot pies are tasty when made with almost any kind of good crust. If the filling is of chicken, rabbit, pigeon, or fish, the crust can be rather a rich one, such as puff, or flaky pastry, made with four ounces of butter, or margarine to six ounces of flour.

A beef-steak pie is better with a short crust, and a rather thicker and plainer one can be used if preferred.

A plain crust, tasting rather like bread, is often liked in loaf pies that are eaten cold and cut in solid slices, and to get this, beef dripping should be used instead of butter, or the pastry will be brittle. Melt the dripping and add it to the flour with enough milk or water to make a thick paste.

If the cold pie has only a top covering, this crust is best made short, with lard, butter, or dripping. Remember to put a good pinch of salt in all pastry made for savouries.

Roman pie can be eaten either hot or cold. For this you will want a good short crust, equal quantities of cold cooked chicken and boiled macaroni, a little minced onion and chopped parsley, two ounces of grated cheese, and some thick white

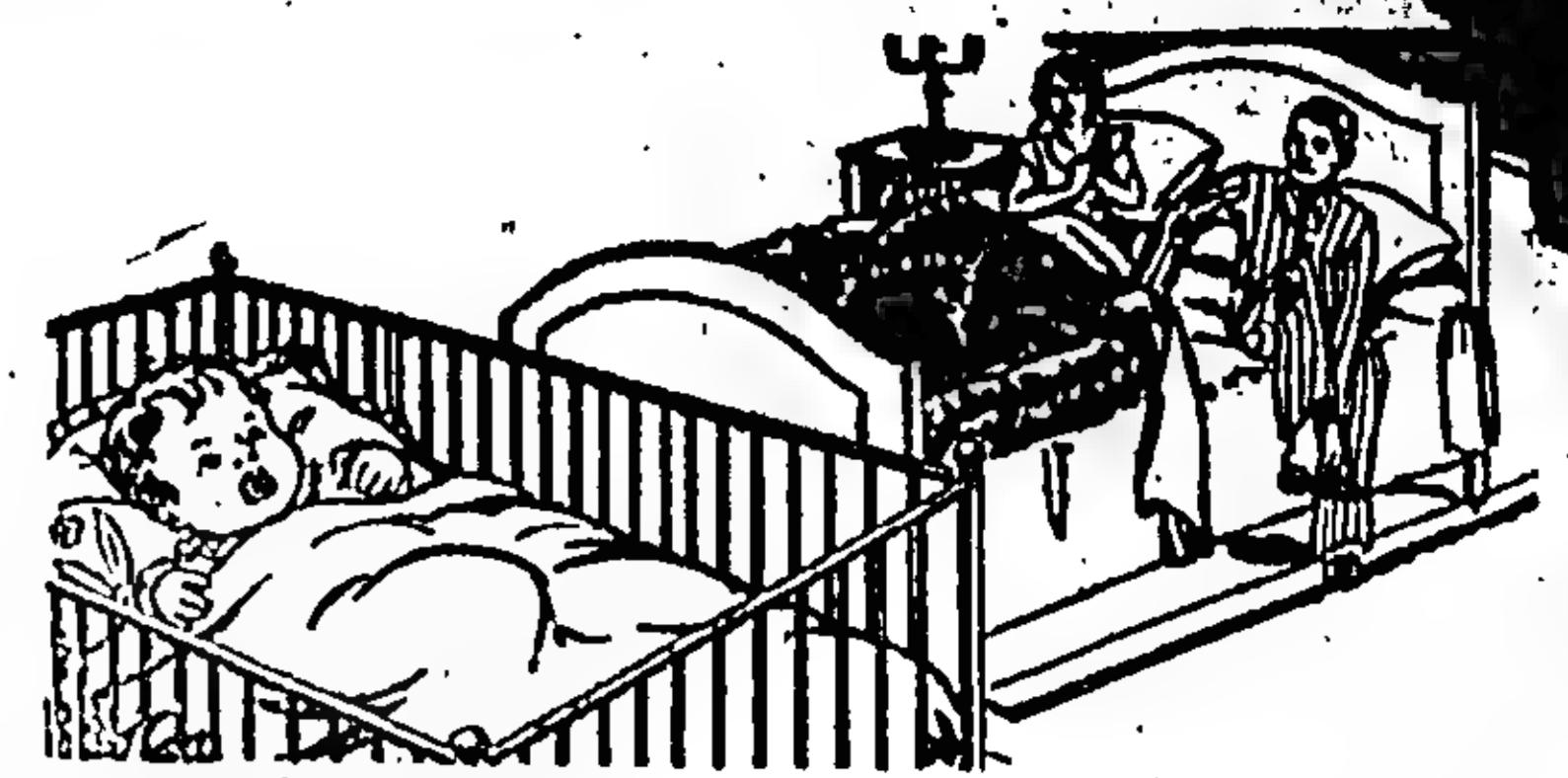
sauce. Cut the chicken and macaroni small, and mix with the other ingredients. Butter a round cake-pan, sprinkle with fine crumbs, line it with the pastry, and bake about an hour. Turn out, and, if eaten hot, serve with good gravy.

For chicken pie, you need a chicken, a few slices of ham, three hard-boiled eggs, a few forcemeat balls, half a teaspoonful of ground mace, salt, pepper, pastry. Skin and cut up the chicken, slice the eggs, and stew the curse for gravy. Put the chicken and other ingredients of the filling in layers in a pie-dish, and add half a pint of cold water. Cover and cover with pastry, decorate and brush with egg-yolk or milk. Bake about one and a half hours, and, when done, pour in the gravy at the top. The pie should be covered with paper when half-done to make it golden brown and not scorched.

For the filling of a rabbit pie you want a young rabbit, a few slices of fat bacon, half a pint of stock and seasoning. Cut the rabbit into about ten pieces, wash well in salted water, and dry. Make stock by simmering head, liver, and kidneys for one hour. Lay the pieces of rabbit and bacon in a pie-dish, and seasoning and stock. Cover with a crust, and bake in a hot oven for about an hour. Cool, and then cover with a crust, which will need a further half-hour's baking.

Yorkshire Loup Pie should be eaten cold. Skin of beef, cut into small pieces, seasoned liberally, and stewed for five hours, makes the best, and an extremely economical, filling for this pie. The crust is bread-like, made with six ounces of melted dripping, one pound of flour, a teaspoonful of baking powder, a pinch of salt, and enough water to make a thick paste. Grease a square cake-pan, line it thickly with the pastry, and put in the meat when quite cold. Fold over the pastry except just in the middle, and bake for nearly an hour.

H. W. S.



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Two alternative air routes from Hongkong to Australia will be provided before the end of this year.

Pan American Airways and Imperial Airways are to operate a service that will link Sydney and Auckland with the existing Pan American Airways trans-Pacific service.

The Dutch K.L.M. line will commence a service next month that will link Port Darwin with Manila via Batavia. Pending negotiations with the Hongkong and Chinese authorities the new K.L.M. service will terminate at Manila, and passengers for the Asian mainland will be transferred to the Hongkong

UNEMPLOYMENT PROBE

London, Sept. 28. Mr. Ernest Brown, Minister for Labour, continuing his investigation of the unemployment situation in England, to-day visited Horrowgate.

He is very concerned about the question of employment for men from 16 to 60 years of age, and of young men who have had no settled work since leaving school.—Reuter.

Clipper.

The Anglo-American service across the southern Pacific will link with the existing Pan American service at Honolulu. It will be possible to travel from Sydney to Hongkong by this route in seven days, the time taken at present to travel direct via Port Darwin and Penang.

K.L.M. will provide a two day service between Port Darwin and Manila.

"Hongkong Telegraph" Used In Melbourne Opium Inquiry

An old copy of the Hongkong Telegraph was an exhibit in an Inquiry held by the Collector of Customs (Mr. J. J. Kennedy) in Melbourne recently.

The newspaper—dated May, 1933—was allegedly used by a Chinese resident of Melbourne to wrap around several opium lamp-glasses. The parcel was seized by Customs officials and was one of several exhibited at the Inquiry.

Alleged to have been in possession of imports prohibited under the Australian Customs Act—30 opium lamp glasses, 18 opium lamp bowls and four metal bases for opium lamps Louey Way-sing, aged 82, of Little Bourke Street, Melbourne, was in attendance at the Inquiry.

A Customs officer in evidence said that he found the apparatus on a shelf in a shop owned by Louey. The latter explained, through an interpreter, that he had only recently returned from a trip to Hongkong. He had never instructed his manager to import the goods.

The Inquiry was adjourned.

GENEROUS DONATIONS

Hospital Relief Fund Swells

Mr. A. Morris has the honour to acknowledge with grateful appreciation and thanks the receipt of the following donations to North China Hospital Relief Fund (Volunteer Nursing Contingent already despatched).

Mr. Shou J. Chen \$10,000.00
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Mr. Chan Lal Chuen (Per Hon. Dr. Li Shu-fan) 30.00

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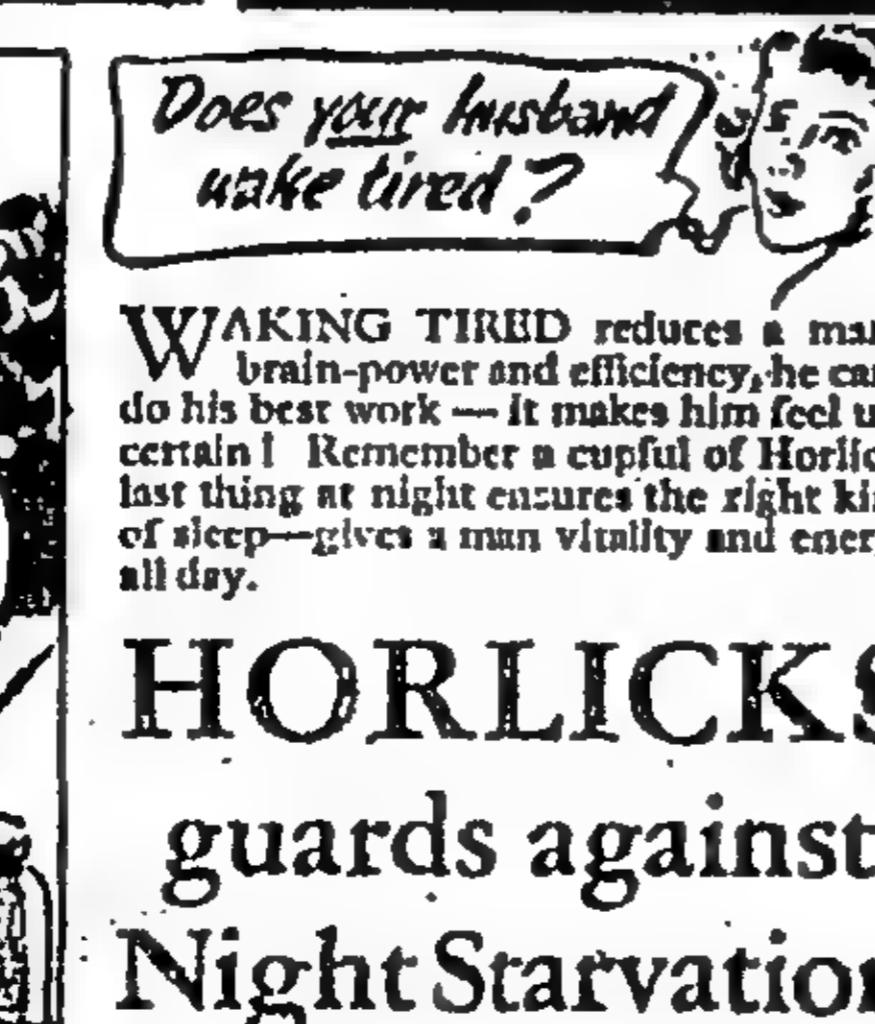
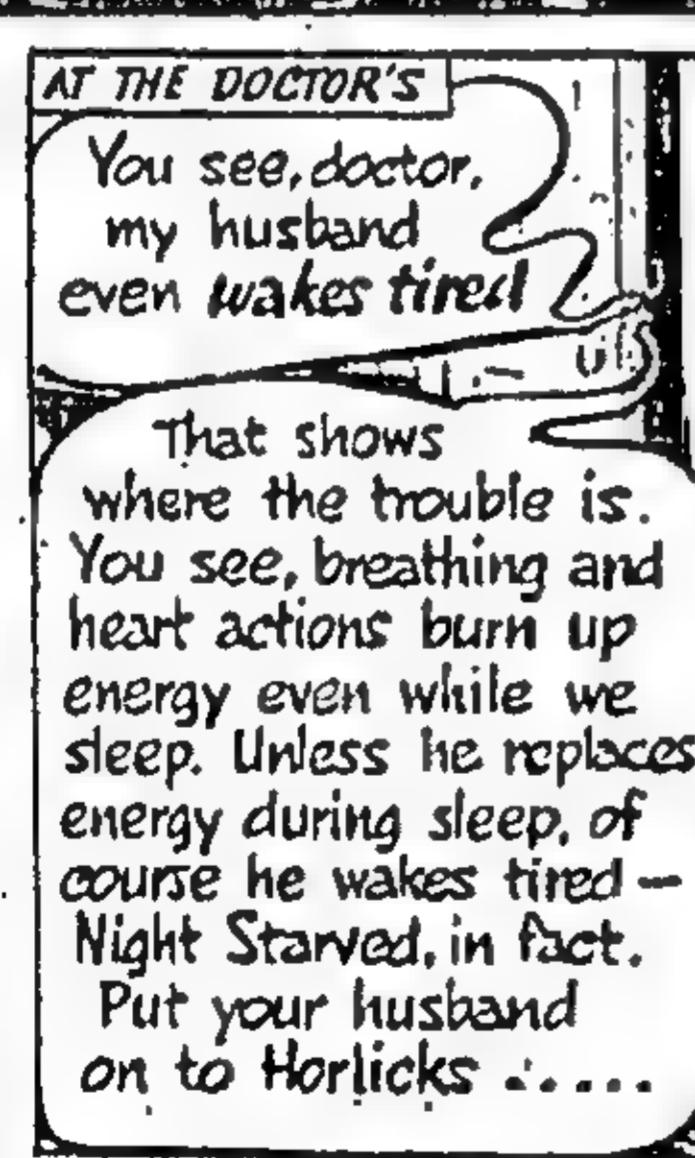
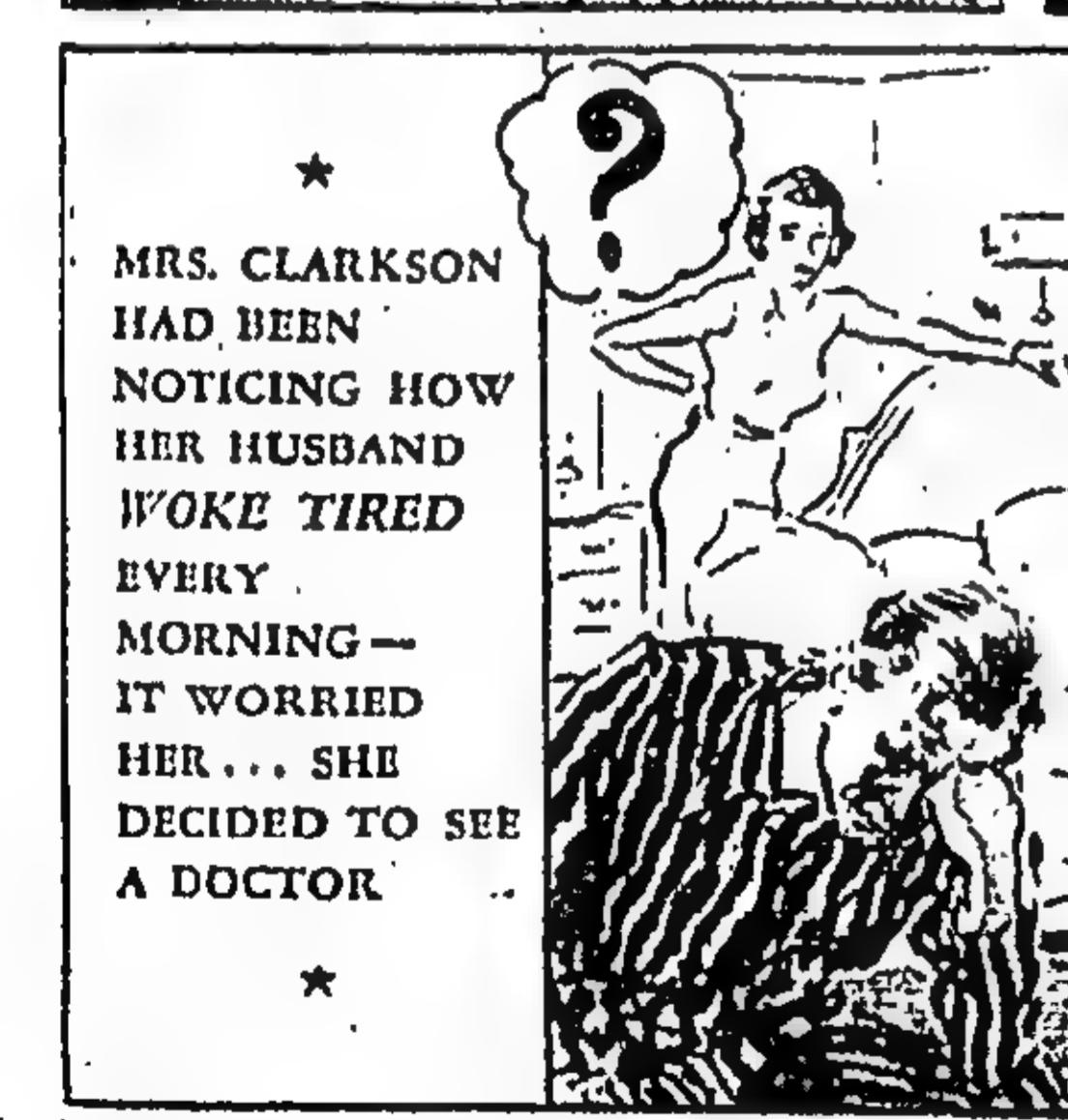
GUARD AGAINST IMPURE WATER

If the Far Eastern political situation clears up before the end of the year Hongkong will receive a visit from Paul Muni, famous film star.

In an interview with the Hollywood representative of the Melbourne Sun-Pictorial, Muni said that he intended to visit the Far East next February.

If the situation there remains as it is at present, however, he will replace his contemplated itinerary with one that will embrace Australia, New Zealand and the South Sea Islands.

He dared not tell his wife!



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OUR GUIDE TO THE CINEMAS

"Theodora Goes Wild" (King's Theatre, to-day).—Scintillating performances by Irene Dunn, Melvyn Douglas and a large cast. Known hitherto as a singing star, Irene Dunn blossoms forth into a full-fledged comedienne. A bold move by Columbia, but one justified by results.

"Make Way For To-morrow" (Queen's Theatre, to-day).—A story of three generations, with the resultant conflict of reactions. It purports to be a picture of a typical American family. Vina Delmar, the famous actress, is credited with the screen play.

"Wings Over Honolulu" (Alhambra Theatre, to-day).—Not a first-run picture, but one worth seeing as it has Wendy Barrie, the actress from Hongkong, in one of the leading roles.

"Green Light" (Oriental Theatre, to-day).—Errol Flynn and Anita Louise in a romantic story.

"Strike Me Pink" (Star Theatre, to-day).—One of Eddie Cantor's early pictures returns for one day. It is on the usual extravagant Cantor lines, with plenty of singing and dancing.

"Are We Civilised?" (Majestic Theatre, to-day).—An unusual picture, showing man's early ruthless struggle for existence.

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning:

Banks

H.K. Banks, \$1,650 n.
H.K. Banks, (Lon. Reg.), £96 1/4 n.
Chartered Bank, £13 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank, A. and B., £33 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank, C., £15 1/2 n.
East Asia Bank, \$101 n.

Insurances

Canton Ins., \$300 n.
Union Ins., \$610 n.
China Underwriters, \$2 n.
H. K. Fire Ins., \$200 n.

Shipping

Douglas, \$48 1/2 b.
H.K. Steamboats, \$10 n.
Indo-Chinas (Pref.), \$51 b.
Indo-Chinas (Def.), \$43 b.
Shell (Bearer), 105 7/12 n.
Union Waterboats, \$90 n.

Docks etc.

H.K. & K. Wharves, \$120 n.
H.K. & W. Docks, \$32.85 n.
Providents (old), \$22.25 n.
Providents (new), 60 n.
Ne. Englands, Sh. \$3 1/4 n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$108 n.

Mining

Kaihsu Mining Adm., 13/6 n.
Kitaib, \$103 1/2 n.
Venz Goldfield \$5 n.

Philippine Mining, Antanok, P. 60

Atoks, P. 17

Baquio Gold P. —

Benguet Consol., P. 10.25

Benguet Explor., P. —

Big Wedge, P. —

Coco Grove, P. 47

Consolidated Mines, P. 0.14

Demonstrations, P. 38 1/2

E. Mindanao, P. —

Gumus G'fields P. —

Ipo' Gold, P. —

IXL, P. 55

Itogon, P. —

Masbate Consols, P. —

Min. Resources P. —

Northern Min. P. —

Paracale G'musas, P. 17

Salacot Mining, P. —

San Mauricio, P. 60

Suyao Conrol, P. 17

United Paracales, P. 51

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, \$6.00 n.

H.K. Lands, \$34 1/2 n.

H.K. Lands, 4% Debent, \$102 1/2 n.

S'hal Lands, Sh. \$11 1/2 n.

Metropolitan Lands, Sh. —

Humphries, \$9 n.

H.K. Realities, \$9.10 n.

Chinese Estates \$98 b.

China Realities, Sh. —

China Dohent, —

Public Utilities.

H.K. Tramways, \$14.00 n.

Peak Trams, (old), \$5 b.

Peak Trams, (new), \$2 1/2 b.

Star Ferries \$86 n.

Yau Ma Tei Ferries, (old), \$27 n.

China Light, \$12.90 n.

China Lights, (new), \$13.17 n.

H. K. Electric, \$59 n.

Macao Electric, \$18 1/2 n.

Sandakan Lights, \$14 1/2 n.

Telephone, (old), \$20.60 n.

Telephone, (new), \$11.60 n.

China Buses, Sh. —

Singapore Traction, 23/9 n.

Singapore Pref., 23/— n.

Industrials.

Cald: Macg, (old), Sh. \$16 n.

Cald: Macg, (pref.), Sh. \$17 n.

Canton Ices, \$2 n.

Cement, \$15.10 n.

H. K. Ropes, \$5.05 n.

Stores, &c.

Dairy Farm, \$26 1/4 n.

Watson, \$5.40 n.

Lane Crawfords, \$8.65 n.

Sincleres, \$2.60 n.

Wm. Powells, 40 cts. b.

Cotton Mills.

Evo. Cottons, Sh. \$13.69 n.

S'hal Cottons, (old), Sh. \$100 n.

Zoong Sings, \$34 n.

Wing On (H.K.), \$50 n.

Wm. Powells, 40 cts. b.

Miscellaneous.

H. K. Entertainments, \$5.20 n.

Constructions, (old), \$1.00 b.

Constructions, (new), \$1.00 b.

Vibro Piling, \$4 1/2 n.

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Grim Photographs Depict Nation's Callousness

New York, Sept. 28. The morning and afternoon newspapers devoted their major headlines to the Sino-Japanese conflict.

The Evening Post published a seven-column banner: "Whole League Condemns Japan" and on the front page included two photographs, the first purporting to show a Japanese officer practising sabre thrusts at a dead body propped against and roped to a post, and the second shows the same man practising bayonet thrusts at the same corpse, under which is the caption: "Cold Blooded Japanese In The Field".

The World Telegram published the same photographs on the front page with the caption: "Japan Fences With Death".

The New York Times uses three columns "Twenty-Two Nations Assail Japan; Bombing of Civilians Arousing World's Horror".—United Press.

COLONY'S FINANCE

(Continued from Page 12.)

this kind of expenditure out of loan. The procedure it is proposed to adopt, following previous practice, does in fact leave it still open to us to pay for these works out of revenue. If a turn of fortune again places the Colony in possession of large revenue surpluses, no actual loan will be raised immediately, the work being financed by advances from our surplus balance so long as they remain available. The loan will be raised if and when it becomes necessary to replenish the Treasury's liquid cash by repaying those advances. Before that, however, arrangements would be made for repaying the advances against the 1934 Loan, which by the end of 1938 will be about \$11,000,000. It is not at present necessary to raise any more of the 1934 Loan to place the Treasury in funds but the cash position is continuously under review and the question of raising a further instalment of the Loan in 1938 will be kept in mind."

The Financial Secretary then dealt with the resolutions proposed, which were later placed before Council.

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OFFICIAL NOTICE
PROPOSAL TO CHANGE A SHIP'S NAME.

LARGE-SCALE FIGHTING RESUMES

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ber of coaches were destroyed by bombs.—Central News.

Chinese Vanguards Advancing On Tsingchow

Tientsin, Sept. 29.

The Chinese forces launching a counter-attack on the Japanese along the Tientsin-Pukow line, are advancing slowly northward. The vanguards have reached the outskirts of Tsingchow, important railway town which was evacuated by the Chinese on September 23. Fierce fighting is continuing in that region.

A number of Japanese planes yesterday afternoon bombed and machine-gunned two refugee trains. It is reported that scores of refugees in the crowded coaches were killed and injured.

Japanese bombers also scouted over Wuchow, Kuanlung, Techow and the area along the Yellow River.—Central News.

A.P.C. In Hauchow Hit By Japanese Bomb

Hsuehchow, Kiangsu, Sept. 28.

During the bombing of Hauchow by Japanese planes yesterday morning one of the missiles fell and exploded in the premises of the Asiatic Petroleum Company. The extent of the damage is unknown.

Ten bombs were dropped in the city, destroying six houses and killing and injuring over 10 persons.—Central News.

Another Japanese Plane Down In Kiangsu

Soochow, Sept. 29.

A Japanese bomber crashed in the vicinity of Tsingyangkang at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, according to reports received here.—Central News.

British Godown Hit By Two Japanese Bombs

Nanking, Sept. 29.

A godown, belonging to a British company, in the Hsinkwan district, near the waterfront, was struck by two bombs during the Japanese air raid over the city on September 25, it was disclosed to-day. A large quantity of lumber stored in the buildings was damaged.—Central News.

Koreans and Formosans Going To China

Nanking, Sept. 29.

According to information reaching here, the Japanese military has organised two division of Koreans and Formosans which will be shortly sent to the war zones in China.

Fearing that the new recruits may revolt at the front, the Japanese are keeping a close watch on the members of their families and threatening them with death if the soldiers refuse to fight.—Central News.

Augusta Not Damaged

Shanghai, Sept. 29.

United States naval officers on board the U.S.S. Augusta, which is within 300 yards of the Idzumo, have reported that no damage has been caused to their ships. Meanwhile there has been a lull in the bombardment, when Japanese planes took off, there has been a lull in the bombardment at dawn to reconnoitre over Pootung, in an attempt to locate the Chinese batteries which have showered the Whangpoo with shells to-day.

Fires In Pootung

The Japanese barrage has started

numerous fires deep in Pootung, and at present the Japanese are firing scores of shrapnel shells which are bursting above the Pootung waterfront, from where a "suicide squad" of Chinese machine-gunners is sweeping the decks of Japanese warships. Nine Japanese warships participated in the bombardment.

Floating Mine Explodes

Japanese naval officers on the Idzumo state that a floating mine exploded 200 yards from the Idzumo without damaging any Japanese warships or causing any casualties.

Japanese planes have begun bombing the Chinese artillery positions in Pootung.

Chapei Heavily Bombed

Nanking, Sept. 29.

Fifteen Japanese planes rained one hundred bombs on Wuhu, commercial port, just above Nanking, yesterday, starting two huge fires which have consumed whole blocks of closely packed houses.

The casualties are not yet known, but it is believed they are very heavy.

The bombing caused surprise, as the Japanese had listed Wuhu as a safety zone, for foreign officials. It may be recalled that the U.S. Ambassador to Nanking, Mr. N. T. Johnson, originally intended to stay there.

The Chinese claim that pursuit planes intercepted, and shot down two Japanese planes which visited Nanking yesterday.—Reuter.

Starling Outbreak

Shanghai, Sept. 29.

War came with startling suddenness to Shanghai's doorstep at 4.50 a.m. this morning, when, before dawn, the stillness was shattered by a terrific explosion, believed to be from a torpedo intended to blow up the Japanese flagship Idzumo.

This was the signal for an intensive battle, lasting an hour between artillery in Pootung and Japanese warships strung from the Japanese Consulate to Woosung.

The Japanese war craft pumped a continuous stream of shells into

IMMIGRATION LAW REVIEW

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FILIPINOS IN U.S. AFFECTED

New York, Sept. 28.

The Court to review the United States Immigration Service has agreed to grant an early hearing of the Esteban Conti appeal against the Department's order. The order was issued on the grounds that Conti had not complied with the provisions requiring an immigration visa for Filipinos entering the United States after May 1, 1934.

The Court, which has hitherto not prevented deportation, studied the case and said the present issues potentially affected 500 Filipinos who had left the Philippine Islands before the law was accepted by the Philippines, but who had arrived after its acceptance.

Esteban Conti's counsel claimed that Conti was not an alien when he left Manila on March 14; secondly that Manila was not then a foreign port, and thirdly that the law became effective when his ship reached Hawaii, which is a United States possession.—United Press.

HULL APPARENTLY BACKING LEAGUE CONDEMNATION

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crisis as existed in the Far East concerned all nations.

Confession Of Incapacity

The Washington Post, in an editorial, declares with respect to the Japanese bombing attack: "In trying to blast China into submissiveness the Japanese have aroused a worldwide wave of moral indignation which far outweighs the gains contained in murdered non-combatants."

It adds that the bombing of densely populated cities is virtually a public confession of military incapacity.

The Post draws attention to the protests of the individual Governments to the League, but observes: "More directly effective may be the silent disapproval of millions of customers to whom the legend "Made in Japan" is beginning to become distinctly offensive."

Deplore Slaughter

Editorials continue to deplore the wholesale slaughter, and referring to reports that few prisoners are taken by either side conclude each combatant is determined neither to ask nor give quarter. The New York Times cites as a possible explanation of the brutality of the Sino-Japanese struggle the article of Mrs. Pearl Buck in October's Asia, "Western Weapons in the Hands of the Reckless East." In this she states: "Individual life is worthless. . . . It is a curious fact that Orientals tend to detach the person from life, so that where the highest development in art and philosophy is found there is found also the greatest callousness toward humans."

Mrs. Buck offers this viewpoint in explanation of Japan's reaction to Western indignation over the bombing of Chinese cities. Japan is unable, she says, to understand how any nation can be expected to refrain from using her most potent weapons.

The Sunday Herald-Tribune, New York, blames other signatories of the Nine-Power Pact for not supporting the United States in the crisis of September, 1931, for the whole of the subsequent trouble. It refers to other nations which "piously washed their hands of the whole business and allowed Mr. Stimson (then Secretary of State) unassisted to appeal to the better nature of the Japanese." At the moment, however, invocation of the Nine Power Pact would be like calling the fire department after a house has burned, this paper believes.—United Press.

POST OFFICE.

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Parcel post for Shanghai and North China is temporarily suspended.

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Hulphong	Canton	September 29.
Shanghai	Kwangtung	September 29.
Straits	Bangalore	September 30.
Solgan	Bontekoe	September 30.
Japan	Corfu	September 30.
	Kayling	September 30.
Straits	Protoslaus	September 30.
Japan	Nankin	October 1.
U.S.A. and Canada	Canada and Japan (Seattle, 11th September)	October 1.
	Saigon	Andre Lebon
	Bangkok	October 2.
	Japan	Manila Maru
	Australia and Manila	October 2.
	Calcutta and Straits	October 2.
	Straits	Yuensung
	Japan	Atreus
	Japan and Shanghai	Ajax
	Straits	Chenonceaux
	Al Mall by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London, 25th September	Imperial Airways Plane
		Swartenhondt
	Al Mall by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco, 24th September	Pan American Airways Plane
		Talithius
	Canada, U.S.A. and Japan (Vancouver, B.C., 18th September)	Emp. of Asia
		Kumsang
		Potsdam
		Santhia
		Changte
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Wednesday

Hoilhow Munnam Wed., Sept. 29, 5 p.m.

Air Mail for North China and Nanking (via Hankow) by the "Eurasia Airways Service" (To further points by surface transport or Services permit)

Thursday

Kowloon P.O. G.P.O.

Reg. Sept. 28, 5 p.m.

Ord. Ord. 29, 5 p.m.

Friday

Samshui and Wuchow Taiming Thurs., Sept. 30, 7.15 a.m.

Haiiphong Canton Thurs., Sept. 30, 2 p.m.

Shanghai Suyang Thurs., Sept. 30, 4.30 p.m.

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Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 10th October

Saturday

Straits, Ceylon, India, East and Corfu G. P. O. & K. P. O.

Parcels Oct. 1, 2 p.m.

Reg. Oct. 1, 3.15 p.m.

Ord. Oct. 1, 4 p.m.

Emp. of Japan Fri., Oct. 1.

Parcels Sat. Oct. 2, 5 p.m.

Reg. Oct. 2, 6.30 a.m.

Ord. Oct. 2, 8.30 a.m.

STEAMSHIP FIRM FINED

Unloaded Cargo
Outside Time
Of Permits

The Tung On Steamship Company, of 122 Connaught Road Central, were summoned on two counts before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning for allowing the discharge of cargo from the steamer *Sai On* between 4.00 a.m. and 7.50 a.m. on September 12, and at 5.00 p.m. on September 19, without permission from the Hon. Harbour Master.

Mr. P. Y. Woo appeared for the defendant company, and pleaded guilty to both counts. In mitigation, he said that his client possessed a permit to unload cargo from the ship from Saturday night until 6 a.m. on Sunday, September 12, in the first summons. On account of the trouble in Canton, which delayed the arrival of the ship in Hongkong, the time limit for unloading was exceeded. There was no facility for obtaining a permit on Sundays, and therefore no permit was applied for.

On September 15, continued Mr. Woo, his client saw the Hon. Harbour Master and placed the facts before him, and was advised to write to the Water Police, enclosing the amount for a permit, but when his client did so, the Water Police refused to accept the cheque. The letter was written on September 18, but the summons was not taken out until September 17. There was no deliberate attempt to defraud the Government of \$75. His client was trying his best to comply with the Ordinance. Mr. Woo asked that a lenient view to be taken of the case.

Sub-Inspector J. Goddard, who prosecuted, said that a permit could be obtained on Sundays from the Water Police. It was a provisional permit.

NOT IN REGULATIONS

Mr. Woo replied that the only person who had authority to issue permits was the Harbour Master. There was nothing about the issuing of permits by the Water Police in the regulations.

Sub-Inspector Goddard admitted there was no regulation, but said the permit was issued merely to oblige ship-owners.

Regarding the second summons, Mr. Woo said his client had permission to unload cargo from 6 p.m. until midnight on September 19, and the "ten-minutes before time" on the summons was frivolous.

The prosecuting officer said that when Sergeant C. F. Shevkoplyas boarded the ship at 5.50 p.m. the company was not in possession of a permit. There was no telling how long the ship had been unloading cargo before the time.

Mr. Woo said there was no evidence to that effect.

His Worship imposed a nominal fine of \$10 on the second summons, but remarking that the first one was much more serious, imposed a fine of \$100.

Soviet's Vast War Material For Spain

Soviet Russia has sold at least 1,210,000,000 pesetas (roughly £14,000,000) worth of war material to the Valencia Government, as far as the Nationalists can check.

The amount may be far larger, but at any rate figures available show that the original contract for 500 millions in gold pesetas, concluded between Señor Largo Caballero and M. Marcel Rozenberg, the former Soviet Ambassador, has been covered in considerable excess.

Large single items of shipments, which the Nationalists say are directed through Marseilles to Valencia, have been aeroplanes. The Valencia authorities paid 300,000,000 pesetas (£3,000,000) for fighting and bombing aircraft. Gasoline figures second at 225,000,000 pesetas (£2,700,000) and wheat and trucks figure for 102,000,000 pesetas (about £1,200,000).

The famous Russian tanks cost Valencia 50,000,000 pesetas (about £5,000,000), according to the Nationalists, while machine-guns cost 10,000,000 pesetas, rifles 20,000,000 pesetas, guns 4,000,000, while ammunition and miscellaneous material filled the bill by another 400,000,000 pesetas (£4,000,000).

The Nationalists claim that not all the goods were of Russian origin, as they purchased some material in Czechoslovakia.

The Soviet tanks and machine-guns are made under patent. The American tanks are made under a license.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

Leung Ching, an lorry driver, reported to the Police that he knocked down Chan I, who was riding a bicycle on Lan Chuk Street on the wrong side of the road. Chan was taken to the Queen Mary Hospital.

Lau Yam, 20, unemployed, was fined \$300, with the alternative of six months' imprisonment, by Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning charged with possession of raw opium at Connaught Road, Central.

Caught red-handed by Chinese Detectives DW124 stealing \$23 at the bookshop of Central Theatre, Ko Kam-ping, 30, married woman, pleaded guilty before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning. A sentence of three months' imprisonment was inflicted.

Temperature Up Again
Humidity Declines Proportionately

A rise in temperature and a fall in humidity were shown by the readings at the Royal Observatory at 10 a.m. to-day. Temperature was 83, one degree higher than at the same time yesterday, and the humidity was 74, ten per cent. lower. The maximum temperature yesterday was 85, a drop of six degrees compared with the figures of the previous day, and the minimum was 80, the same as the day before.

No rain fell during the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day. The total rainfall is 7.935 ins. against an average of 7.115 ins.

The anti-cyclone is moving eastward across Japan. A ridge of high pressure extends from it to the lower Yangtze Valley.

Pressure is relatively low over the Philippines and the Pacific to the east. Local pressure: E. and N.E. winds, fresh to moderate; fair.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

SWAN, CULBERTSON & FRITZ' LATEST REPORTS

New York, Sept. 28. S. C. & P. Dow Jones Summary of yesterday's markets:

Towards the close to-day the market turned dull, relinquishing many early gains. The day was featured by a demand for gold and silver mining shares. Trading continued cautious, awaiting some definite development of the market trend. The market is concerned with the present adverse steel news and there is also some nervousness and uncertainty with regard to the French economic situation.

Bonds and curb stocks were both higher.

S. C. & P. New York Correspondent cables:

Crystal Palace May Be Made Sports Centre

London, Sept. 20. A plan for developing the Crystal Palace site as a sports and physical culture centre will be considered by the Trustees at a meeting next month. The central feature of the scheme would consist of a covered stadium seating 25,000 people and running halfway round the sports arena on which football, baseball, and athletics could take place. Around the arena would be a running and cycling track.—*British Wireless*.

THIS IS HOW WE USED TO DEAL WITH PIRATE SUBMARINES

(Continued from Page 6.) Nicosia we must do so with all speed. Further, I was expecting any moment to have the Barralong torpedoed; for I still kept in mind Captain Manning's signal 'Captured by two submarines.' Evidently he was wrong."

Herbert said he did advise Nicosia's captain and crew not to talk about the affair because he knew what "yarn-spinning American cattlemen were."

The Q boats, mystery ships of the war, had proved their worth, and it was essential that their methods of operation should be kept secret.

How right he was is shown by the tangle of tales that has been unravelled here.

Morley Richards

KING AND QUEEN TO ATTEND ARMISTICE DAY FESTIVAL

London, Sept. 28. The King and Queen will attend the Festival of Remembrance at the Royal Albert Hall on the evening of Armistice Day.—*British Wireless*.

Stocks: The market is extending its rally in an orderly manner, but is likely to meet with resistance to the advance at three to four points higher. Business failures for the week totalled 159. Bank deposits for the week totalled \$14,788,000,000.

Cotton: The market acted well, despite expectations of further hedging and a favourable Government weekly report. A private crop estimate gives the crop at 16,563,000 bales. 507 notices have been tendered. The holding movement is reported to be increasing.

Wheat: The resumption of exports reflects the withdrawal of Russian good grades. The cash position is strong. Political news from the Far East is a factor for steadiness. The security of freight room continues.

Corn: The demand for new-crop is broadening.

Rubber: The fact that there has been no change in the quots has caused considerable selling.

Sugar: The market is quiet and steady. Short-covering continues to absorb unimportant liquidation.

Wall Street Journal Morning Comment:

Some conservative traders say that the current rally should result in at least 10 points' gain in the industrial average. At least one investment trust has bought a large block of General Motor shares in the past fortnight. It is believed that the textile markets will continue dull until stocks show stability. It is gossiped that some electrical equipment manufacturers have recently retarded operations. The Street has heard that London yesterday bought United States Steel shares on a cash basis.

Dow Jones Aver. Sept. 27.

30 Industrial 152.03 153.10
20 Ralls 40.40 40.03
20 Utilities 23.73 24.08
10 Bonds 97.04 97.15
11 Commodity Index 60.00 60.71

stated to be bad, because of their excessive power and lack of manoeuvring ability. The American Martin bombers which the Russians manufacture under patent are, on the other hand, classed as good due to their speed and ease of handling.

The Nationalists say much material from the Soviets is obsolete, and they instance the shipment of a considerable number of rifles which were completely out of date. They were served out to police and Republican national guards in the rear.

In the opinion of the Nationalists, experience of the Spanish war have shown that Russia, after twenty years spent in building up the powerful and much-vaunted Red Army, has failed to produce any weapon of genuine Soviet origin which could be described as exemplary or sensational.

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LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S CABLED QUOTATIONS

London, Sept. 28. Last 10-day's Price

War Loan 3½% £100.15/10 £100.15/10

Chinese 4½% Gold Loan 80½ 90

Chinese 2½% Gold Bonds 70 81

Chinese 4½% Anglo. 83 92

Chinese 5% 100% 83 92

Chinese 5% Gold Loan, 1912 61 83

China 2½% 1925 63 68

Chinese Imperial 5% 67 69

China 5% 1903 49 47

Hukung 5% 1903 33 37

London 5% 1912 20 20½

Shanghai 5% 1912 30 39

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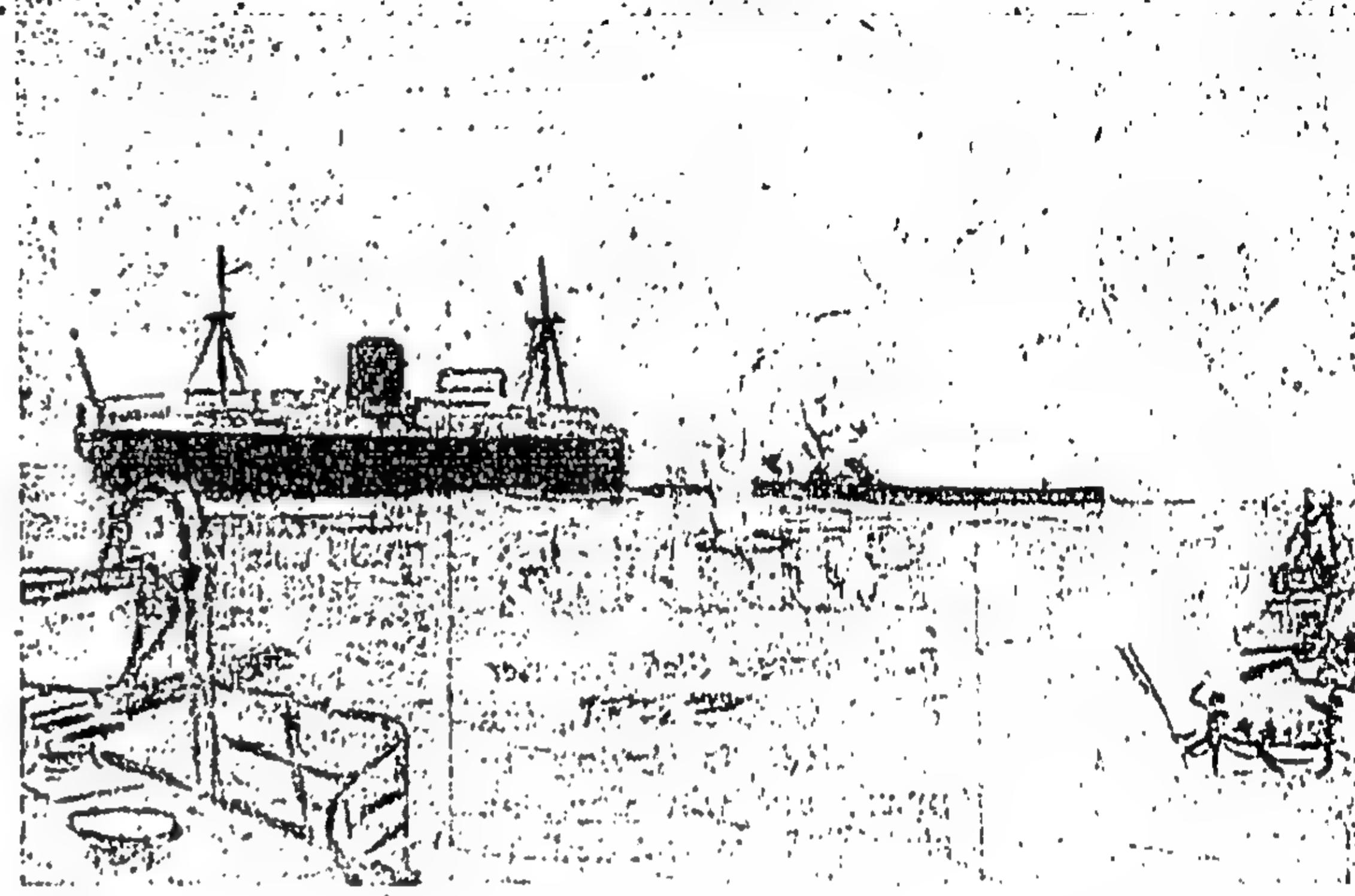
The Twenty-three Powers which comprise the League of Nations' special committee to deal with the Sino-Japanese dispute have met and passed a resolution condemning the Japanese bombing of Chinese towns, following the appeal of Dr. Wellington Koo, China's representative, for reinforcement of the universal demand of the civilised world for the abandonment of such practices. Dr. Koo really asked very little of the committee. The whole tone of his address was significant, indicating a shaken faith in the effectiveness of the League in matters of this nature.

If the League cannot defend the right, it can at least indicate the wrong-doer; if the League cannot prevent the slaughter of innocent people, it can at least condemn the responsible party, he said, in effect. It seems he expected very little. And who can blame China for a lack of optimism when seeking help from a body whose record in the great crises of the past has been so shoddy? Recognising that the meeting at Geneva is more or less academic, and that, in any event, it can do nothing more than pass resolutions and make recommendations to the League Assembly and Council, Dr. Koo refrained from making specific demands. His appeal was broad, and its strength lies in its foundation: the repeated bombing of civilian populations. In that was the touch of the diplomat. He did not plead on political grounds, but on a far more appealing basis—in the name of humanity. So far, he has got more or less what he asked for. As far as the Committee is concerned, he has won the representatives to China's side, for he has gained from them unanimous condemnation of the Japanese mode of warfare. That is something.

We particularly ask that within the limit of feasibility the utmost measures for encouragement and assistance be extended to China. In the name of humanity, as well as in the interests of justice to my country and the peace of the world, I earnestly hope that this committee will not let the main issues be lost in a labyrinth of confusion, but will act speedily as well as effectively, he said. Dr. Koo appreciates that the moral effect of a League finding against Japan, whether or not the Japanese are given the tag of aggressors, will help China's cause considerably. Dr. Koo is losing no opportunities.

There are two avenues by which nations sympathetic to China and opposed to Japan's aims and methods may approach the Far East problem with any hope of arriving at a satisfactory destination, it appears. The first is by way of the Nine-Power Pact. But since the United

This is how we used to deal with pirate submarines



from "Amazing Adventure" by E. Kebble Chatterton—Hurst and Blackett, 3s. 6d.

The man who sank the U27 drew this picture of the action himself. He was the gunnery officer of the Q-boat Baralong, now Commander G. C. Steele, V. C.

GERMANY'S allegations were given columns went to the Nicosian they had, of space in the American and therefore, to face enemies who other neutral Presses, columns had escaped the muleteers and more in her own newspapers as propaganda. Here in Britain the watertight censorship limited discussion.

Sir Edward Grey's reply on December 14, 1915, said curtly that "Britain did not accept the allegations."

He added sardonically that Britain noted "with satisfaction and surprise Germany's anxiety over the principles of civilised warfare, and was glad that they wanted punishment meted out to those who disregarded them."

He pointed out that the same day that she went herself to the bottom of the sea, had sunk the White Star liner Arabic and sent "forty-seven non-combatants ruthlessly to their death."

Three months before another U-boat had destroyed the Lusitania. Just previously this U-boat commander had sunk the British E3 and left the survivors to drown.

Britain offered to submit this "act of barbarism," two other incidents which need not be detailed here, and the Baralong action to an impartial tribunal—say of United States officers.

Germany was very cross. She replied that she did not want to discuss the ethics of submarine warfare, an impartial tribunal was "an absurdity," and as Britain would not punish the "murderers" she would take retaliatory measures herself.

Sir Edward answered with dignity: "To destroy an enemy who surrenders has never been the practice of the British Navy."

There the correspondence, even through the channels of the United States, ceased.

BUT there was an answer. Before a tribunal this would have been the evidence.

A Norwegian journalist, making an independent investigation, wrote that the muleteers saw a party of Germans set off in a boat from the submarine with bombs in their possession. This was before the approach of the Baralong.

Their intention, obviously, was to blow up the Nicosian, and thus save torpedoes.

The muleteers—"as ugly a crew as ever awaited a boat's approach"—armed themselves with furnace bars and pieces of steel. They set on the Germans.

Chatterton, who called the book "Amazing Adventure" ("called attention to the fact that several of the sunken submarine's crew were trying to climb aboard Nicosian by means of ropes and the pilot ladder, which had been left hanging down.

"Fearing that if these men succeeded in getting aboard they might set the large amount of powder alight, I ordered them to be shot away. In spite of this, six reached the Nicosian's deck, but the rest flopped back.

"Instead of going to a prominent place on the upper deck and holding up their hands in surrender, these six darted down below and left me no option but to assume they were about to destroy the steamer.

"Sending for Corporal J. G. Collins, in charge of my marines [he was awarded the D.S.M.], I told him to take his men on board and clear the ship of the enemy, warning him that the latter would be desperate men, that he was to take no chances, but shoot first. Captain Manning had just informed me that in the latter's charthouse were some rifles and ammunition, so I told Collins these might already be in the six men's hands."

"Nicosian's engineer and carpenter went aboard to inspect their dynamos. Herbert told them to keep out of the marines' way or, if unrecognised, they would be shot. On opening the propeller shaft alley, 'they observed two or three hiding Germans huddled up at the end. Without further ado these were shot. Meanwhile the marines continued their search and found the remainder, who, in default of surrender, were put to death likewise and buried at once.

"I was influenced by the knowledge that if we were to save the

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George was puzzled . . .

George is still telling his friends of the holiday he spent abroad. One day he and his friend Bill sat down at table with a Frenchman, and they all drank the same amount. George paid for five bottles and Bill paid for three. When the Frenchman went he put eight francs on the table, which was his share. When George and Bill came to divide this out Bill thought he was entitled to three of the eight francs for the three bottles of beer he'd brought. But George said that his own share should be seven francs, not five. Who was right?

Later in the afternoon George and Bill met a column of soldiers out on manoeuvres. The column was just a mile long, somebody said. While they were watching, a messenger was sent from the head of the column to the rear. He gave the message and returned to the column. The messenger ran there and back at the same speed, and all the time the column was marching at the same pace. By the time the messenger got back the column had just travelled its own length. Bill said the messenger must have run three miles. But George said the distance wasn't three miles. Who was right?

So Bill, to get his own back, gave George this problem. He said he knew a shopkeeper in London who had a brother who went to sea, but the man who went to sea had no brother, so what relation was the shopkeeper to him?

Solutions at foot of Column four.

COUNT THE
"TELEGRAPHS"
EVERWHERE

Big Japanese Submarine Off Colony

American Ship Tells Of Two Encounters

Examined By Aircraft

The American Government ship, Jeff Davis, which arrived here yesterday was the object of interest to a Japanese seaplane and submarine about 50 miles outside Hongkong.

The ship was making for Hongkong late yesterday afternoon when a plane carrying three men appeared from the east and circled the ship twice, then flew very close and the men in her were clearly seen. Besides her usual markings the plane bore the number "7." After inspecting the ship thoroughly the plane made off in a westerly direction.

Almost at the same time the ship was confronted by a large Japanese submarine which passed the Jeff Davis within a few hundred yards. The Captain of the freighter dipped his flag to the warship, the salute was answered, and no questions were asked. The Jeff Davis was delayed in no way.

The submarine was a very large one and carried two three-inch guns.

PROMISES BALANCED BUDGET

Bonneville, Sept. 28. President F. D. Roosevelt stood before the New Deal's \$21,000,000 Dam site to-day and couched a promise to balance the budget during the next fiscal year with a policy for the "widest use" of hydro-electric power which can be developed in this, and similar Federal projects.

He forecast the possibility of a new Pittsburgh arising from the rural landscapes, simultaneously propounding that the power should be utilized as widely as possible to aid remote farmsteads and small communities instead of fostering huge industrial sites.

"My conception of liberty," said the President, "does not permit an individual citizen or group of citizens to commit acts of depredation against nature in such ways that they harm neighbours, and more especially harm the future generations of Americans."—United Press.

BOUYANT BRITISH FINANCES

Exchequer Returns Encouraging

London, Sept. 28. The continued buoyancy of revenue is indicated in receipts totalling £7,441,574 for last week as against £6,505,005 in the corresponding week of 1936.

Exchequer returns also show that the total ordinary revenue amounts to £300,315,025 compared with £284,888,235 at the corresponding date of last year. Total expenditure, less self-balancing items is £302,922,881 compared with £304,140,689 at the corresponding date of 1936.—British Wireless.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

PRISONERS MOVE TO STANLEY

The last batch of prisoners left Victoria Gaol for the new prison at Stanley, yesterday.

There are at present about 2,200 inmates at Stanley. Victoria Gaol is at present being used as a clearance station between the Court and Stanley. Defendants will most likely remain in the old gaol before being deported to the colony. Prisoners remanded under 48 hours will also be kept here.

£10,000 REWARD FOR SLAYERS OF BRITISHER

Jerusalem, Sept. 28. The authorities have offered a reward of £10,000 for information leading to the arrest of the murderers of Mr. Lewis Andrews, British Commissioner for Nazareth, who was assassinated as he left church on Sunday last.

This is believed to be the largest individual reward ever offered in a criminal case.—Reuters.

DEADLOCK REACHED AT GENEVA

Non-Intervention Formula Doesn't Please Spain

Britain, France Still United

Geneva, Sept. 28. A deadlock was reached to-day at the Sixth Committee's discussion on the Spanish war. When the Drafting Committee met to consider the question of a resolution, Mr. Walter Elliot of Britain submitted a formula, supported by M. Yvon Delbos, French Foreign Minister. It is understood the formula appealed to all governments scrupulously to refrain from interfering in the internal affairs of another State, and to make a fresh effort to ensure the speedy withdrawal of foreign volunteers from Spain.

The Norwegian representative, M. Kent, suggested his Government should hold a watching brief, and this Britain and France were prepared to accept.

Signor Delbos of Spain said he could not accept the British draft as a basis for discussion as the Spanish Government insisted on a resolution embodying points such as the recognition of Italian aggression in Spain and the opening of the frontier to arms traffic for the Spanish Government.

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REVENUE OFFICER DENIES CHARGE

Contradicts Story Of Payment Of Bribe

A complete denial that he was handed \$200 on board the s.s. Wo Ping Yee was given by Harry Richard Major, revenue officer, at the Criminal Sessions this morning when the trial against him on a charge of accepting that amount, contrary to his duties as public servant, was continued before the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor.

Li Yee, who was alleged to have tendered the bribe, stated that the 100 bags of wolfram ore were brought on board the ship at Hohow without the knowledge of the purser or any member of the compradore's staff. He did not know, however, how the ore was brought to the ship as he did not supervise the loading.

Witness then described the alleged bargaining for the bribe, and said that the amount eventually arrived at was \$200.

C.R.O. B Mak Ilion and C.R.O. 70 Li Wing-yuen gave evidence of having been present at the alleged bargaining, and admitted they were each given \$5 afterwards.

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REPORT FROM OUTSIDER

In reply to His Lordship, witness said that the Chinese officers still retained their share of the proceeds from the bribe, and that they were still in the employ of the Imports and Exports Department. The report in connection with the case was received from an outsider and not from any member of the Department.

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GENERAL SUNG REPORTED RETIRING

Nanking, Sept. 29. The Chinese Government has granted General Sung Chen-yuan two months' leave of absence. It is believed he is retiring.

"HEIL! DUCE!" Millions Cheer Mussolini

Community Will Will Destroy Opposition

Berlin, Sept. 28. Welcoming Signor Benito Mussolini at a monster rally in the Olympic Stadium, Dr. Josef Goebbels announced that a million people were present in the stadium and adjacent squares, and another two millions lined the road leading to the stadium.

An immense roar of "Heil! Duce!" greeted the dictators. Herr Hitler, who spoke first said: "The deepest meaning of this demonstration is the sincere desire and guarantee of our countries for that peace which is not the reward of cowardice, but the result of securing with a sense of responsibility our racial, spiritual, physical and cultural substance and values to serve interests which are reaching beyond our two peoples, which should really be the interests of the whole of Europe."

Describing the terrible trials through which Germany had passed before National-Socialism had restored to the German people those general rights of mankind which they had been refused for a decade and a half, Herr Hitler said: "During that time of most bitter tests—I must say this before the German people and the entire world—Germany did not take part in those humiliations."

He went on to say that the two autocratic national regimes were united at a time when the ideals of a democratic Marxist International could only show every demonstration of hatred and disunion.

He concluded by saying that every attempt for separating such a community of peoples by playing them one against the other, by causing suspicions, or by misconstruing aims, "will fail at the wish of those who form this demonstration of community, as well as at the will of the two men who stand before you."—Reuter.

Nothing Concocted To Split Europe

Berlin, Sept. 28. Signor Mussolini, speaking in Germany, declared that nothing had been concocted during his conversations with Herr Hitler which would drive the wedge still further into an already divided Europe.

"We desire peace," he said, "and we will always be ready to work for peace." In view of the outbreak, Germany and Italy had pushed forward with the Bank of Corporation. In 1922, he joined the Union Maritime Society of Canton as house-keeper, leaving on his own accord in 1932 to join the Imports and Exports Department as a revenue officer. He went on long leave in August, 1936, returning to the Colony in May this year.

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RADIO BROADCAST

Studio-Vocal Quartette In Madrigals & Part Songs

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12.30 Negro Spirituals.

1.00 Hawaiian Music.

1.00 Time and Weather.

1.03 Lucienne Boyer and Orchestra Mascotte.

1.30 Reuter and Rugby—Press; Weather and Announcements.

Songs by Stuart Robertson (Baritone).

1.50 Dance Music.

2.15 Close Down.

4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.

7.00 De Groot and His Orchestra and Hubert Elsdeit (Tenor).

Orchestral—"Louise"—Selection (Chapentier); Other Days (Selection of Popular Melodies); (Al. Finck); Vocal—(a) Take, O Take Those Lips Away; (b) Hey, Ho, The Wind And The Rain (Shakespeare and Quilter); Go Lovely Rose (Waller and Quilter); Orchestral—Zinetta (Gershwin); When The Great Red Dawn Is Shing (Sharp); Orchestral—In The Night (Tate); Under The Roofs Of Paris (From the Film "Sous les Toits de Paris") (Moretti); Orchestral—Desert Song—Waltz ("The Desert Song"—Rimsky); De Groot and the Piccadilly Orchestra.

7.30 Closing Local Stock Quotations and Hongkong Exchange Market Report.

7.35 Conchita Supervia—Mezzo-Soprano.

La Rosa Oriental (Ramon Espinol); Lamento Borincano (R. Hernandez—Arr. A. Brito).

7.42 Violin Recital by E. J. Asmus, Violinist, and Mrs. Nura Kanis, Accompanist.

1. Pierrot Serenade (Ranegger-Kubell); 2. Adagio and Allegro Sonatina in E (Handel); 3. Canzonetta (d'Ambrosio); 4. Orientale, (from the Kaleidoscope) — (Caesar-Cui); 5. Rondino (Beethoven-Kreisler).

8.00 Time, Weather and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. Studio—Old English Madrigals and Part-songs by: Eva Turner (Soprano), Helen Lockhart (Contralto), Gaston D'Agino (Tenor) and Victor Sanders (Baritone), with E. O'Neil Shaw at the Piano.

1. Quartette—Sing we and chant it (Thomas Morley) (1559).

2. Tenor Solos—My lovely Celia (George Munro); Phyllis has such charming voices (Anthony Young).

3. Quartette—Come, Phyllis, come unto these bower; Now I see thy looks were feign'd. Thomas Ford (1607).

4. Contralto Solos—Go from my window, go Gathering Daffodils, 16th century air arranged by Somervell.

5. Quartette—Sweet, stay awhile... John Dowland (1600). The self-banished

NORMAN LEE WINS 100 YARDS FREE STYLE RACE

L. Oliveira Nearly Causes A Sensational Upset

Tennis Or A Career

HARE TO PLAY ONE MORE YEAR

It is announced in a Reuter message from America that C. E. Hare's intention is to play only one more year in international lawn tennis. This presumably means that Davis Cup matches and foreign championships will be excluded from his programme, though it is to be hoped that the Wimbledon championships, the most truly international of all lawn tennis events, will remain within it.

Hare's reported reason for this decision is the same and laudable one that he must consider his future. He follows in the steps of H. G. M. Lee, who might easily have been called on for more Davis Cup service had he not adhered to his intention to make his profession the governing factor of his life, says a London *Morning Post* correspondent.

The question of the huge inroads made on the time of a player in the highest ranks of lawn tennis is seldom in abeyance and with the prospective loss of Hare from Davis Cup possibilities it springs to immediate urgency. Hare has been regarded as the most promising Davis Cup find of recent years, and it was thought that with two or three seasons of experience he might have reached very great heights.

AUSTIN, TOO, DOUBTFUL

Whence, then, are to come our hopes for the Davis Cup? A statement attributed to Hare that H. W. Austin would not travel for the Davis Cup matches next year must be treated as a matter of opinion, though it is known that Austin dislikes travelling. In any case, we cannot count on Austin for more than two or three seasons.

It is all very well to make the most of the healthy open nature of the competition for the Davis Cup, but it is also true that those who by intensive training and unspare expenditure of time become the successful candidates will not be faced with the same problem as Hare and come to the same conclusion.

The inextricably involved obligations to each other of various national governing bodies of the game have made the welfare of the individual player a minor consideration. At the time, surely, that either



Though he won the 100 yards free style swimming championship of the Colony at the V.R.C. yesterday, Norman Lee was nowhere near the record.

U.S.R.C. Beaten By Recreio Team

The Club de Recreio won their match against the United Services R.C. in the "A" Division of the Tennis League with surprising ease yesterday, conceding only two sets. L. Goldman and A. L. Sullivan were not in good form for the U.S.R.C. and obtained only 1½ sets. Scores: A. V. Gossman and F. J. Hernandez (Recreio) beat L. Goldman and A. L. Sullivan 6-3; drew with Capt. L. Loch and J. M. Thompson 6-6; beat G. E. R. Davel and F. P. Smalley 6-3.

The match between the S.C.A. and the H.K.F.C. was postponed till to-morrow.

Some of the long journeys imposed on players of the top class should be reduced from a year to one in a year or else a frame should be devised to create a special class, attained by consistent skill in the game, where the term amateur or professional would convey little meaning and no reproach.

One seems to have heard of visiting cricket teams where there was no distinction. This may be the necessary parallel, but such a solution would be generally accepted by many who feel themselves at present to be neither fish, flesh, nor fowl. But there is sure to be a red herring dragged across this trail of thought.

GREAT EXCITEMENT AS TWO SWIMMERS FOUL LANE ROPES

LAU PO-HEI TOO GOOD IN BACKSTROKE

(By "Abe")

As generally expected, Norman Lee won the 100 yards free style swimming championship of the Colony at the V.R.C. pool yesterday evening, but his time was 1 3/5 secs. outside the record for the event held by Wilfred Lawrence. The most pleasing feature of the race was the opposition given by L. Oliveira who was beaten by less than a second.

The times of both men were undoubted better if they had not fouled the lane rope. Neither of them kept a direct course, and at one stage they nearly collided. Again when he was only seven or eight yards from the finish, Lee swam against the rope and lost a fraction of a second.

Matching Lee stroke for stroke, Oliveira kept up with the Chinese champion for three quarters of the distance. In fact, he actually led by a couple of feet at the turn of the 50 yards, but lost ground when he got entangled. Later on, had he been further up with the leader, Oliveira might have won but at the moment that Lee lost his rhythm as the result of fouling the side of the lane, he was still about three yards behind and just failed to catch up.

LEE DISAPPOINTING

Though he won, Lee's performance yesterday was rather disappointing. He not only swam a ragged race, but also appeared to be too intent on watching Oliveira, who had drawn the next lane. He returned a time of 58.4/5 secs., which compares rather unfavourably with Lawrence's record of 57.1/5 secs.

I know for a fact, that Lee broke the Colony record on several occasions in recent practices, and in the Interport trials held two months ago, he registered 58.3/5 secs. It was because he was expected to lower the existing mark that his performance proved so disappointing in spite of the fact that he won.

H. L. Ozorio was a bad third, and Pte. Stemp, of the Middlesex Regiment, was last.

NO COMPETITION

Only two swimmers took part in the 100 yards back-stroke, which resulted in an easy win for Lau Po-hei, the record-holder. A. K. Rumjohn, the other competitor, is not yet in Lau's class as I said yesterday, but his performance was quite creditable. Undismayed by Lau's reputation, the Indian had set a

cracking pace over the first lap and was a foot in front in reaching the turn. Thereafter, he lost ground rapidly, and the Chinese, swimming with beautiful rhythm, went on to win by over seven seconds.

Had he been extended, Lau Po-hei almost certainly would have improved upon his present mark of 69 seconds. He had no opposition in the latter part of the race and finished a fifth of a second outside the record. Spectators were all worked up near the finish as it was realised that there was a chance of his breaking the mark, but the stimulus of competition was lacking. Rumjohn was clocked at 77 seconds.

Several interesting events confined to members of the V.R.C. were also decided.

RACING SURPRISE

Golden Sovereign Wins Gimcrack Stakes

London, Aug. 27. Golden Sovereign, Sir Abe Bailey's horse, took the Gimcrack Stakes at York on August 26. The win was unexpected, as Golden Sovereign was at 8 to 1 and passed the winning post almost locked together with the Asa Khan's Tahir, a 3 to 1 on favourite, and Mr. Ellison's True Mate.

An objection to the winner was raised by C. Smirke, who rode Tahir, but the stewards fined Neve, who rode True Mate, for not keeping a straight course, and confirmed the placing of Golden Sovereign.

As a result of his success Sir Abe Bailey will be the guest of honour at the Gimcrack dinner held at York in December.

PONIES CLASSIFIED

The following alterations and additions to the Hongkong Jockey Club



Lau Po-hei just failed to equal his own record while winning the 100 yards backstroke championship of the Colony at the V.R.C. yesterday.

Search For Laurels By Local Boxer

"Battling" Rio In Singapore

According to news from Manila "Battling" Rio, one of the most promising boxers in Hongkong, has gone to Singapore in search ofistic honours.

Accompanied by Eugene Hunt, the French former bantamweight champion of the world, Rio left the Colony for Manila recently and from there they continued their journey to Singapore.

Hunt has already fixed up a fight in the Straits, and will meet Johnny Mortell at the New World Arena on Friday, October 1. Since his arrival in Singapore, Mortell has proved too good for his opponents in Malaya.

Nothing has been arranged for "Battling" Rio yet. He met with some success in Hongkong while fighting as a welterweight, his last bout here being against Fus. Morgan, to whom he lost on points at the Po Hing Theatre on July 31.

classification lists, dated March 16, have been announced:

Ouse to A Class, King's Lead to C Class, Defensive War to D Class, King's Parade to D Class, Fairly Auk to E Class.

Table Tennis Experts Coming Here

Szabados And Kelen Now In Australia

Air-mail information received in the Colony yesterday from Australia states that Miklos Szabados and Istvan Kelen, Hungarian and world's table tennis champions, will visit Hongkong in the course of a world tour in December.

Szabados and Kelen are now in Australia and when they have completed their matches there, they will leave for the Far East. It is definitely known that they have booked their passages for Hongkong by the N.Y.K. Kitano Maru.

This information was given to a Telegraph representative at Melbourne by Harry Hopman, the famous Australian tennis ace.

There are several fine exponents of this game in Hongkong, especially among the Chinese. Though it is extremely doubtful whether even the best player here would be able to give Szabados and Kelen a fight, it should be possible to pick out two or three who can put up a respectable show if exhibition games are arranged when the visitors arrive. In any case we should have a first-class exhibition when the tourists play each other.

Bayview Mansioneers Defeat Hongkong Forum

The first softball game to be staged in Hongkong was played last Sunday, when the Bay View Mansioneers defeated the Hongkong Forum Club by 7-0. The game was fast throughout, and the heavy slugging of the Mansioneers proved too much for the Kowloon players. A fourteen-inch bull was used.

Charles "Killer" Joe brought in three runs with a circuit clout while Kit "Speed" Chung showed brilliant form on the mound, holding the Mansioneers to a goose-egg.

A return game has been scheduled for 10 a.m. on Sunday, October 3, at Causeway Bay.

peated statements to this effect since, but I am quite happy to release him. "Anyhow," adds the general, "I have been informed that the British champion is not in a condition to stipulated."

WORLD TENNIS ACES ALTER PLANS

Germans And Americans To Miss Hongkong

(By "Abe")

Already disappointed when it was announced recently that Harry Hopman and Len Schwartz, the Australian tennis players, would not pass through the Colony owing to the cancellation of the Japanese championships, Colony tennis enthusiasts will now feel more so, as it is extremely improbable that they will see Gottfried von Cramm, Heinrich Henkel, Donald Budge and Gene Mako in action on local courts this year.

Information received from Australia yesterday was to the effect that the German team, which were originally expected to go through Hongkong on their way to Australia for the annual championships there, will travel via Singapore instead. They will, therefore, miss the Colony.

To make things worse, it is believed that Budge and Mako are going to Australia via New Zealand.

The present political situation in the Far East is the cause of the change of plans of both parties. "If the trouble clears up in time, however, there is just a possibility that the Germans and the Americans will return to their native countries via the Far East," adds the message.

Personally I think it is a case of the wiser being father to the thought. I fail to see why the Germans should go out of their way to come to Hongkong on their return journey if they do not pass through on their way to Australia. In the case of the Americans, prospects are slightly brighter; but even then, I do not think we will see them unless they want to return to the United States via Japan. This is the only hope.



CRICKETERS LEAVE

London, Sept. 28. The New Zealand cricket team left London to-day, homeward bound. Vivian, vice-captain, said that although they did not win the tests they had gained valuable experience.

Members of the M.C.C. said farewell to the New Zealanders at Victoria Station.—Reuter Bulletin.



Baron Gottfried von Cramm is not likely to come to Hongkong, according to latest information.

ONE DAY CLEARANCE

All oddments and broken ranges left over from our summer stocks have been marked down to the very lowest prices to clear

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TOMMY FARR NOT GIVEN A FAIR DEAL

Liberal Dose Of Calumny From U. S. Experts

(By Fred Dartnell)

New York, Aug. 31. I shall sail for home to-morrow in the Aquitania, well satisfied that Tommy Farr has made a complete triumph with the American public, despite the fact that he lost the match with Louis.

Mike Jacobs, that shrewd fellow who promoted the fight, hit the nail on the head when he remarked in Farr's dressing-room after the fight that he had fooled all the experts.

What those "experts" think does not matter.

After treating Farr to a prolonged dose of calumny and contempt during his training, these gentlemen, who could make Farr nothing more than a "one-shot" before the bout, registered their venomous malignity has come to an end.

AN INSULT

One of Farr's tormentors has the impertinence this morning to refer to his "moral victory."

That, coming from such an immoral pen, is an insult.

Nor is Farr exactly indebted to some of the British jester, one of whom put on record his opinion that Farr had as much chance as Shirley Temple of beating Louis.

Farr returned to his camp, Long Branch, immediately after the fight. This morning, when I called on Mike Jacobs, who has extended me the fullest courtesy during my stay, he proudly showed me a file of more than 200 telegrams for Farr from all parts of the world.

Members of the Legion in Australia, South Africa and Canada cabled the Empire's delight, and messages from home, written in Welsh, offered Farr congratulations.

The radio treated Farr most generously, making him the winner, but although of the first blush, I was inclined to think the same because of his splendid aggression, on second thoughts, I agree with the verdict which enabled Louis to retain the title.

DESERVED A DRAW

Farr deserved a draw, but championship fight must be decided one way or the other.

He was hardly master enough to wrest the title from the negro.

The most amazing statement is that the referee considered Louis had won 12 rounds and Farr one and that the fifteenth round was even.

"Oh, judgment, thou art fled to bruiser beasts," said the immortal bard, "and men have lost their reason."

He might have added "and sense of prophecy regarding this monstrous perversion of justice at Yankee Stadium."

Farr is staying in America.

Matches are being considered to him with Schmeling, Baer, Braddock or Pastor as possible opponents.

Farr wants a return with Louis, however, and has asked Jacobs to retain £1,000 of his purse-money as a side wager for that purpose.

The match may eventually next summer, for Farr is now regarded as a regular money-splasher by promotional interests.

Louis, whose hand has been placed in a plaster cast, will probably make a European tour next month, visiting London, Berlin, Paris, and Rome, giving exhibitions.

It is not improbable that in these Max Baer may take a supporting part.

FOR SEWING MACHINES

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Comments in American newspapers are quoted by Reuter:

New York Telegram: "Farr did not win but he made it powerfully close. The fact is, if he had been able to hit at all he would have knocked out Louis."

New York Journal: "Joe 'Giant Killer' Louis turned out to be a bit of a Welsh rabbit before Farr."

Associated Press: "Farr, who wasn't supposed to have a chance, took everything but the decision. Farr not only stunned the experts, but he thrilled the crowd by the game, determined fashion in which he repeatedly carried the fight to the hard-hitting champion."

New York Daily News: "Farr fought a n-cute battle, weaving and crouching, and then standing up and jabbing, in the early rounds. He was a very nasty and annoying young man. In the middle rounds, and he had Louis angry and baffled in the last round."

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Beautiful Barbara Read, representing the modern generation, and Victor Moore, representing the generation of her grandparents, come into conflict in "Make Way For To-morrow," a screen play by Vina Delmar which comes to the Queen's Theatre to-day.

White City For Cup Finals?

Football Association Cup Finals at the White City Stadium, London.

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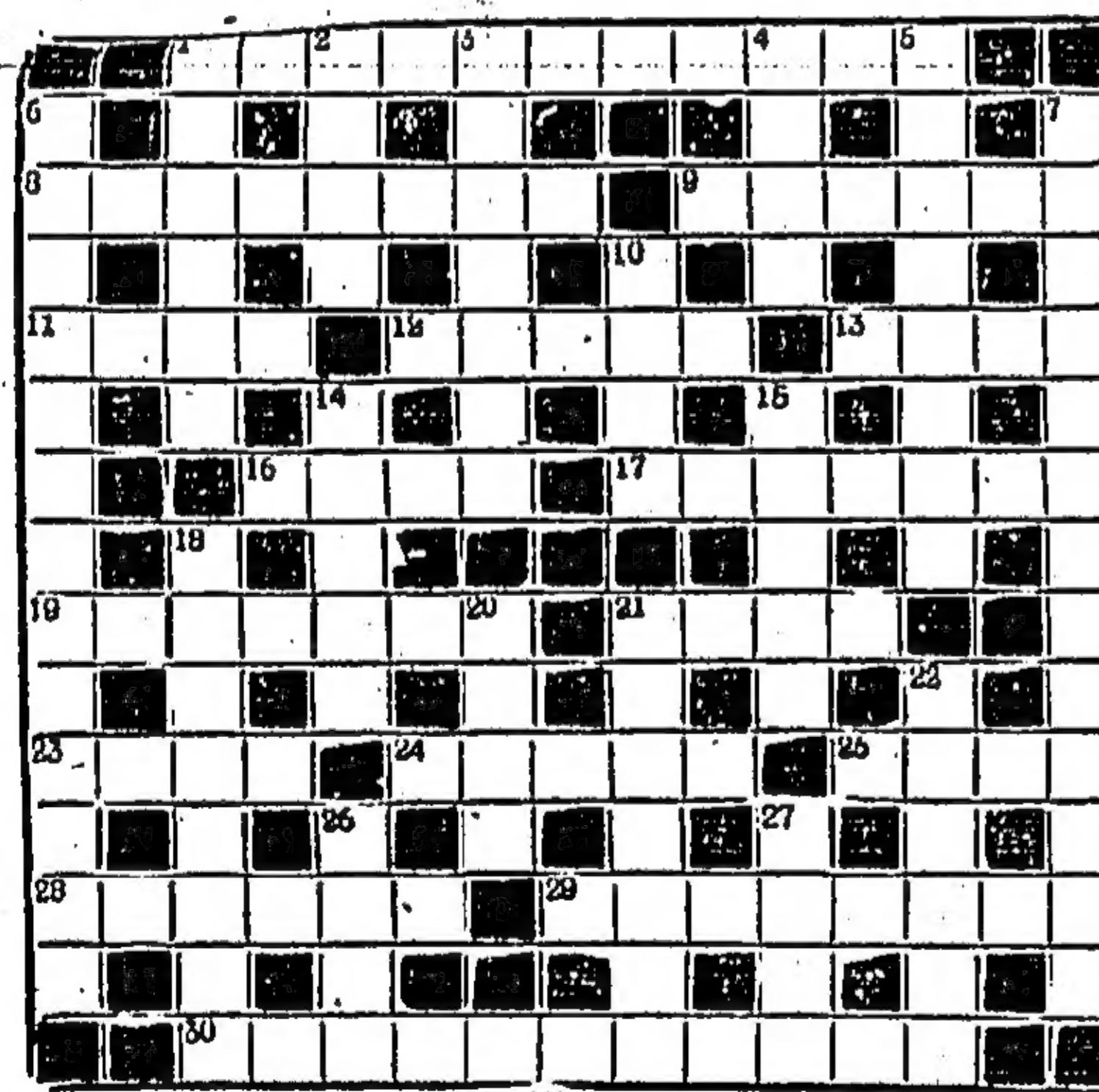
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- Each in this arrives.
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- It has been written that no test is complete without it.
- This one's for the golfer.
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- Endear. (Anag.)
- This lottery is not illegal in England.
- Mental greed is responsible for this trickery.

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- There's an air about an abstainer, but it doesn't extend to the finger-tips.
- This word sounds like grass, or a colour, according to tense.
- Anger.
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BOOKS OF THE WEEK

Edited by Roger Pippett



ELLA K. MAILLART

perforce to be abandoned; but seen through another pair of eyes, the same and yet different.

Because Mr. Fleming is English, with a double portion of the Englishman's fear of his own romanticism, protecting himself by an armour of indifference, looking at the world with a humorous tolerance, affecting to patronise even the desert. While Ella Maillart, half Swiss, half Danish, is more "grown up," unashamed of her passionate desire to understand.

His humour and her philosophy were much needed. For—through each, in a different way, under light of it—the journey was one uncertain struggle, in which hardship followed on darkness, and darkness on hardship. It needed moral as well as physical hardship to win through. "At ten days' march across the Tsaidam, weakly from water-hole to water-hole, the camels falling exhausted one by one, was a strange nightmare.

But it was "very melancholy" to come back from it to India, to civilisation, at last to Paris.

"Suddenly I understood something. I felt now with all the strength of my genes and intelligence, that Paris, France, Europe, the white race were not all. . . . There was something that counted in and against all particularisms was the magnificent scheme of things that we call the world."

The Moon Is Making

By Storm Jameson
(Cassell, 8s. 6d.)

WHEN the moon is making—or waxing towards full—queer people are said to behave even more queerly. And Storm Jameson's new book is crowded with queer people.

Exulted with madness, delirious with saltness, ecstatic with greed, drunken with cruelty, bereft of their senses by music and words, they make a frontal attack on your commonplace. And, of all the grotesque inhabitants of that North-East coast town of WIK, in which the story is staged, Handel Wilker, ex-minister, scientist, Christian Anarchist and arch-individualist, is perhaps the oddest and most terrifying.

There is no discernible plot in this sprawling, confusing fantasia of a man community. You should read it slowly. If you wish to work your way through the maze of mixed desires and hates and passions and fears and family feuds. And yet you will find yourself reading faster and faster in the effort to keep pace with Miss Jameson's fierce determination to batter down the gates of heaven and drag the depths of hell...

How far she succeeds will depend on how far you are prepared to pant after her on this headlong flight of mystical imagination.

The TWILIGHT OF AMERICAN CAPITALISM

By A. S. J. Barker
(King and Son, 9s.)

WHO killed America's rugged individualism? "President Roosevelt—with his 'New Deal,'" says Dr. Barker, who evidently suspects the poor President of being a secret Bolshevik.

"Rugged Individualism" is the name which American capitalists have always given to that system of economic anarchy in which anyone with a bit of money is at liberty to do just what he likes with it.

This liberty is now dead. Who has killed it?

Detective Barker is still a long way from solving the mystery. He knows that Roosevelt is not Mr. Roosevelt, nor is it Major Douglas, John Lewis, Karl Marx—or even the Bishop of Birmingham.

The Anointed

By Clyde Brion Davis
(Arthur Barker, 7s. 6d.)

HARRY PATERSON was fourteen years old, six feet in his socks and near the bottom of his class when he ran away to sea. But he was no fool. He had an incurable itch to know about things, all sorts of things, not only the how but the why.

Now when a hulking lad knocks about the world, keeping strange company and getting into mischief, he can get to learn a great deal that is not in any textbook.

Harry, for instance, had a chance in a Mexican prison—to acquire the art of throwing dice, a useful accomplishment if practised discreetly. But it was not so easy to pick up any satisfactory system explaining why the universe is arranged just so and no and not otherwise.

He was sure there was a system somewhere and that you could understand it if only you could "navigate your mind" and "cross the Black Ocean."

Once he thought algebra would steer him clear of the truth. Once, while shipwrecked and waiting to be rescued, he had plenty of time to discuss with his mates their various theories about existence and survival. But he was always baffled, though never despairing. And then one day in Frisco, he found a library—and a library assistant with whom he fell in love. So he married her and got a shore job and set to work digesting dictionaries.

Is that the end of this most racy and original tale? That's where the book stops, anyway. But I was so interested in this six-footer's adventures that I went on wondering what has happened to him since. Has he grown wiser? Has he lost that desire to understand in a desert of learning?

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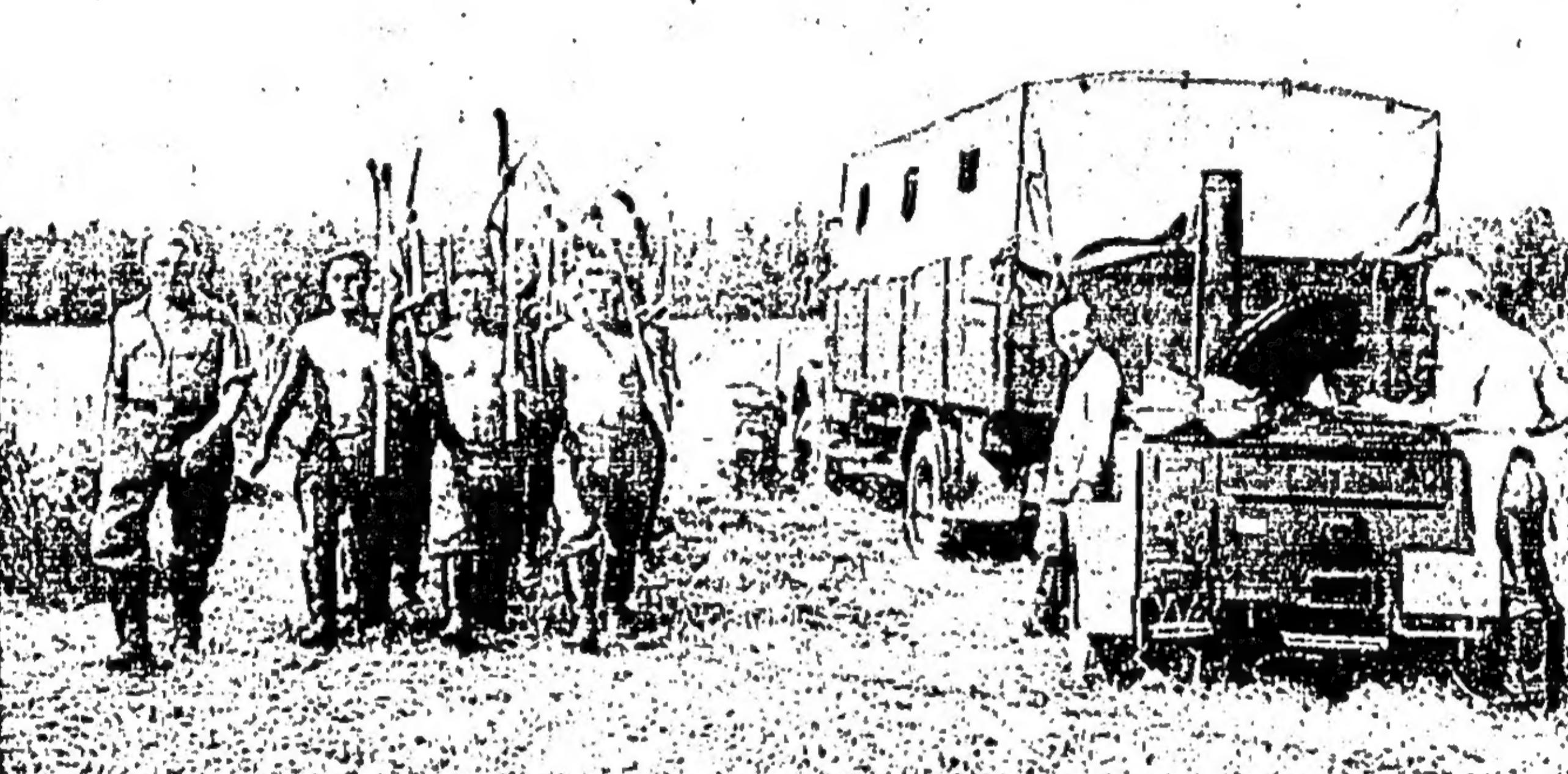
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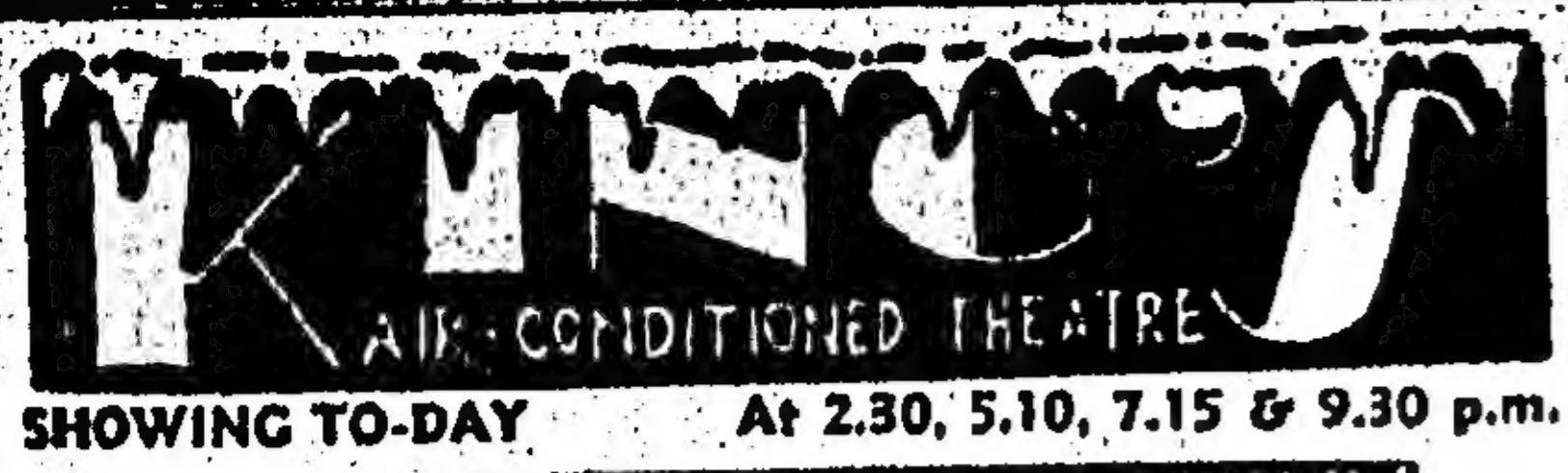
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